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Plane Crash Near Menlo Injures Flier

A 58-year-old Redwood City private flier was seriously injured when his plane crashed near Palo Alto airport yesterday afternoon but was saved from possible instant death when a fellow pilot extinguished flames creeping about the wreckage.

The injured pilot is R. W. McWard of 936 Durlston road, executive of a California finance company and a student pilot.

The flier who extinguished the flames is Dr. D. L. Webster, of the Stanford university physics department, whose flight experience dates from World War I days.

HITS POWER LINES

McWard's plane crashed about 100 yards south of Embarcadero road after it struck a power line just east of Bayshore highway while he was attempting a landing in a routine practice flight.

Dr. Webster, who was driving on Embarcadero toward the airport where he planned to take up his own plane, saw the crash, ran to the wreckage and extinguished flames starting on the engine cowling by using wet earth ploughed up by the crashed plane.

Attaches from the airport arrived moments later and cut into the smashed cockpit to remove the unconscious McWard, who was taken to Palo Alto hospital.

CONDITION IMPROVES

The flier's physician reported at RECORDER press time last night that McWard's condition had "definitely improved" since the flier arrived at the hospital. He said McWard suffered head injuries, fractured hip and pelvis, and held out hope for his recovery.

McWard was owner of the plane he was piloting and holds a student pilot's license, airport officials said.

A few moments before the crash, he had taken off for routine practice of landings and was circling back toward the airport from the west when the craft struck the power lines, stalled and crashed.

The wing hit the wires, which were severed and caused a power shortage for two hours in part of Menlo Park and nearby areas.

CRUSHED IN COCKPIT

The cockpit bore the brunt of the impact and McWard was jammed against the controls.

Airport officials said McWard was familiar with the field and its surroundings and recently had begun flying from the airport.

His plane was a two-place, single engined Fairchild monoplane.

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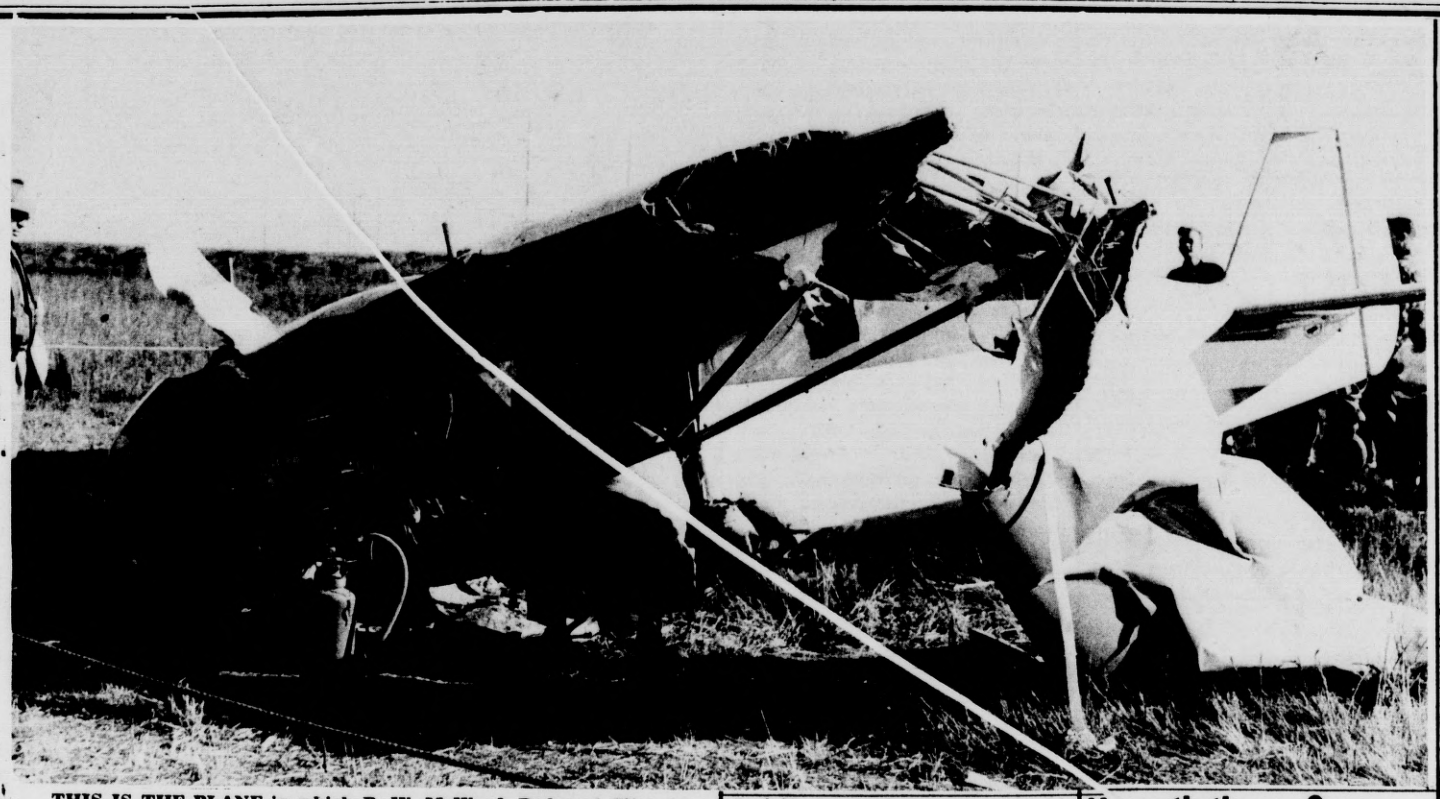
Building Is Brisk; $81,000 in Permits

Menlo Park building activity continued brisk last week with permits for $81,000 worth of construction issued between Dec. 13 and Dec. 19.

The figure brings the month's total to $325,050.

New construction permits issued included those authorizing an $8000 home to be built by H. Ratliff at 501 Hetch Hetchy way; a $15,000 home to be built by Workman Construction company at 560 Vine street; a $21,000 four-unit apartment house to be built by M. A. Peterson at 707 Roble avenue; a $7000 residence to be built by M & K Construction company at 1371 Carlton avenue; an $8000 home to be built by the same company at 1211 Sevier avenue; a $10,000 dwelling to be built at 1351 University drive by U. C. Robinson and a $7000 home to be built by Terranova and Son at 1344 Windermere avenue.

Other authorizations issued included those for $2000 worth of residence alterations to the home of Mrs. Ferna Moore, 525 Morey drive; $1000 worth of garage moving by A. H. Anderson at 626 Cambridge avenue, $500 worth of store alterations by A. H. Smith at 640 Roble avenue and $1500 worth of additions to the home of R. C. Richardson, 1095 Sherman avenue.



THIS IS THE PLANE in which R. W. McWard, Redwood City, was seriously injured as the aircraft crashed after striking power lines near Palo Alto airport yesterday noon. At left is the battered cockpit in which McWard was pinned by the impact. —Menlo Camera Shop

IN TRADITIONAL MANNER:

Special Church Services To Mark Christmas Holiday In Menlo Park

Keynoted by special church services in the traditional manner, Menlo Park will join in observance of Christmas this weekend.

For many it will be a three-day holiday from Saturday through Monday.

Throughout the past week, Christwas observances were the order of the day in the form of parties, pageants, gifts and entertainment for the less fortunate.

Most churches in the area plan special programs on Saturday's Christmas eve and on Sunday.

CHOIR TO SING

At Holy Trinity Episcopal church in Menlo Park, the choir will sing carols at 11 p.m. Saturday as a prelude to the midnight Eucharist. Rev. Eric W. Jackson, the rector, will preach.

Holy Communion will be observed at Trinity at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Sunday, with a special service for children at 11 a.m. Holy Communions will be held at 10 a.m. the Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday following Christmas.

The annual "Festival of the Lights," in which the entire congregation joins in candlelighting ceremonies, will be observed at the Menlo Park Presbyterian church at 11 p.m. Saturday. The program will have an international aspect, with a choir singing carols of foreign lands.

ADDED SERVICES

On Sunday, an 8 a.m. service will be added to the usual 9:30 and 11 a.m. meetings. The Rev. Don Emerson Hall will preach at each service. Special baptismal services will be conducted at 4 p.m., with choir music.

Usual 9:45 a.m. services will be eliminated at the Menlo Park First Baptist church Sunday and a combined Sunday school and church service will be held at 11 a.m. Dr. Frank E. Eden, the pastor, will give the sermon, "The Christmas Story."

TO MEET FOR CAROLS

The Baptist members also will gather for carols and showing of a sound motion picture, "The Nativity," at 7:30 p.m.

At Trinity Lutheran church in Palo Alto, the three traditional Christamas Eucharist (Holy Communion) services will be celebrated at 11:30 p.m. Saturday and at 8:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday.

Police Caution On Holiday Drunken Driving

Police Chief George Potter this week requested motorists to leave their automobiles at home while on Yuletide parties where they are apt to drink. He also announced that three citations for drunken driving were issued over the weekend.

A citation was issued Friday afternoon to Lloyd F. Avery, 40, of Pulgas road, East Palo Alto, after his vehicle collided with a car driven by Clelia Pratt.

Police said the accident occurred when Avery, travelling east on Santa Cruz avenue, made a wide turn onto Curtis street.

Citations also were issued to Richard A. Arvine, 43, 2611 Porter Creek road, following his arrest at 2:40 a.m. Sunday on Bayshore highway and to Juan Navareto Mejia, Mountain View, following his apprehension on El Camino Real at 3:45 a.m. the same day.

"Persons with families shouldn't risk their children's happiness and the safety of themselves and other drivers by driving when intoxicated during the holidays," Potter said. "I you must drink, either stay in one spot or travel by cab. It's cheaper in the long run."

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Cold? So What

DOG TAKES SWIM

A dog apparently thought that December was just as good a time as any for a swim in a pool at a home at 128 Encinal avenue.

At any rate, firemen were summoned to that address when occupants reported that a dog was splashing about in their favorite summer dunking spot, apparently unable to climb out.

When the smoke eaters arrived they found the dog with his front paws resting on the edge. With an energetic push, the swimmer achieved the flat, dry edge of the pool.

Groundbreaking Is Planned by Church

Groundbreaking ceremonies will be held from 10:30 to 11 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 1, at site of the new Presbyterian church buildings to be constructed at Santa Cruz avenue and Johnson street, Rev. Don Emerson Hall announced yesterday.

Numerous civic and church leaders will attend the ceremonies, as well as the church congregation, Mr. Hall said.

The usual 9:30 and 11 a.m. services will be held at the present church, with the earlier service ending at 10:15 a.m. so the congregation can proceed in a group to the groundbreaking program.

Drivers Escape Hurts In 2-Car Collision

Autos driven by Denneth Arthur Thomas of Palo Alto and William Lynn Canole, 25, of 1236 Madera avenue, suffered minor damage in a collision at Carlton avenue and Newbridge street Monday morning, Menlo Park police reported.

Negotiations Open In Move to Carry Out Tract Building

Negotiations were under way this week to "save" the long-projected development of the Linfield Oaks tract in Menlo Park after the city council had moved toward wiping out all rezonings granted for the undertaking.

Acting as an independent negotiator between Menlo Homes, Inc., tract owner, and firms that had planned to construct headquarters there, is a south county business executive whose identity was not disclosed.

He entered the picture after a conference in San Francisco last week between Mayor Charles P. Burgess and Ray T. Lindsay, secretary-treasurer of Menlo Homes.

PROGRESS MADE

It was learned that to date, negotiations are progressing satisfactorily.

While pointing that the matter is by no means settled, a spokesman for the negotiator said that the "parties still are interested in the project and are closer to agreement now than at any previous time."

He disclosed that Lindsay had given the negotiator written offers which might bring matters to a head" and which contain definite information on property and prices for which it would be sold to the firms.

FORWARD OFFERS

The written offers have been forwarded by the negotiator to executives of the companies in the east. This action, it was understood, might bring about a direct meeting between these officials and heads of Menlo Homes, Inc.

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Master Plan Offers More Parking Area

Calling for three large parking areas in downtown Menlo Park as well as other offstreet parking facilities to meet future commercial growth, the revised master plan of Menlo Park was submitted to the city planning commission Monday night.

It will be given second reading Jan. 16.

The master plan, designed for all phases of the city's growth, envisaged:

1. A parking lot, approximately 100 by 175 feet, in the center of the business block bounded by Oak Grove and Santa Cruz avenues, Merrill street and El Camino Real.

2. A large parking lot in the center of the block bounded by Oak Grove and Glenwood avenues, the railroad and El Camino Real.

ENTRANCES PLANNED

3. A parking lot to extend through the block bounded by Oak Grove and Santa Cruz avenues, Crane street and University drive. The lot is to be 180 feet wide and to have 100 foot entrances on Crane street and University drive.

4. Extension of Merrill street northward to Cedar avenue.

5. Continuation of Alma street southward to San Francisquito creek.

6. Extension of Willow road to El Camino Real, with the railroad to be underpassed.

7. Viaduct and pedestrian overpass across Bayshore highway in the vicinity of Hetch Hetchy way, Belle Haven.

8. 45-foot wide parking alley from Oak Grove to Valparaiso avenue in rear of buildings facing El Camino Real.

PARKING ALLEY

9. 45-foot parking alley south of Roble avenue to the vacant part of the Morey tract, in rear of businesses which will face El Camino Real.

10. 50-foot parking alley in rear of buildings facing the south side of Santa Cruz avenue from Chestnut street to University drive.

11. 20-foot alley in rear of lots on the east side of El Camino Real between Glenwood and Encinal avenues.

12. 20-foot alley to surround the now-vacant Morey tract at El Camino Real and Middle avenue, with provisions that future development of the tract include a percentage of parking area.

ASKS REZONING

Mrs. Florence Ohler asked in a letter to the board that her property at 1187 Uniersity drive be rezoned to allow construction of a medical or

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Court Again Wins Decoration Prize

Mills court residents Monday night won the Menlo Park-Atherton Realty Board's annual Christmas home-decorating contest for the second consecutive year.

Theme of the winning exhibit was Santa and his "seven dwarfs" as helpers which were effectively combined with many decorated and lighted trees. The residents of the court entered as a unit.

Second prize was awarded to Mrs. William F. Miller, 785 Olive avenue. Her display consisted of a replica of a glowing hearth with Santa busy filling Christmas stockings before it.

Third award was won by Dave Sullivan, 241 University avenue.

Those receiving honorable mention were A. G. Pimentel, 1145 Merrill street; Sam Setrakian, 1259 Hoover street; the Cannon apartment house, 837 Live Oak avenue and Mrs. V. C. Robinson, 1373 University drive.

Judges for the contest were L. L. Johnston, Albert Wilson and Caroline Wehe.

The Mills court winning residents gathered at the home of Robert Waterman, 1460 Mills court, to watch retiring realty board President John S. Wickett present the first prize of a $25 check Tuesday night.



BANKING THE PROCEEDS—Some of the Mills Court residents whose decorations helped win this year's annual Christmas home decorating contest, are shown putting the $25 first prize check into "Porky," temporary guardian of the fund which will be used to purchase ornaments for future Yuletide displays. Among those who gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Waterman Tuesday night to receive the check from John Wickett, president of the Menlo Park-Atherton Realty Board were (left to right) Jack Woodbeck, Dick South, Betty Smith, Wille Lindsey and Wes Smith. —Menlo Camera Shop

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As We See It...

PROJECT NOT YET LOST

Good news this week was that negotiations are in progress to carry out the development on the old Hopkins estate. . .variously called Linfield Oaks and the Lindsay tract. . .as originally planned some months ago when the property owners placed their proposals before the city government.

It was something of a jolt when the city council last week asked the planning commission to reexamine the various zonings granted in the tract with a view to returning it to the original classification for single family dwellings only. Discussion among councilmen disclosed that what was regarded as the major undertaking in the area . . . construction of quarters for the Underwriters Laboratory. . .apparently had been dropped.

Officials of the laboratory, it was disclosed, had informed the city officials they had given up plans to come into Menlo Park and were looking for a site elsewhere because they were unable to come to terms with Menlo Homes, Inc., the tract owner and developer. Councilmen indicated also that other firms that were prospective new businesses for Menlo Park also may have changed their plans. Hence, the proposal to return to original rezoning.

If the council's action was designed as a strategy move, it apparently succeeded. It was followed by disclosure to the RECORDER that negotiations have been reopened with all business firms concerned and that definite proposals for the development have been put in writing by Menlo Homes, Inc.

A spokesman for the negotiators said that the "parties are still interested and agreement is closer now than at any previous time."

We hope the optimism will be borne out. There has been some strong feeling among city officials because of the inaction. The city has expended considerable time and effort in carrying out the several rezonings asked by the developers. The city council and the planning commission each has conducted a series of hearings. Ordinances have been drafted and published, maps have been made and, all in all, considerable functions of government have been involved.

Every effort should be made to carry through the original plans.

INDIVIDUAL TAX LOAD IS LIGHT

By using a formula that's a bit different in figuring such matters, the San Francisco Bay Area Council, Inc., has shown that so far as cost of city government is concerned there's-no better place on the Peninsula in which to live than Menlo Park.

The council computed that if that famed and mythical gentlemen, Mr. Average Citizen, dug into his pocket for an equal share instead of paying for city government by property taxes, grants, state hand-downs, traffic fines, license fees, etc., it would have cost him $9.66 in Menlo Park in 1948.

That's the lowest figure on the Peninsula, the council reports, and the second lowest in the entire Bay area. Only Hercules, in Contra Costa County, can make any claims over Menlo Park. The per capita cost there was $9.62. And the average for the Bay area was $30.33. The costs ranged up to $111.82 in San Francisco, because entire cost of the county government is included with that of the city.

The council had something else nice to say about Menlo Park. It found that in 1948 it was one of 15 cities in the entire area that had no charges or interest on debts and the only Peninsula city in that category.

NO EARLY ACTION ON RENTS

Unless the city council should decide otherwise next Tuesday night, there is no prospect of decision on rent decontrol in Menlo Park until at least sometime in January. On Tuesday night, council expects to take up the matter of conducting its own survey of rental properties and the vacancy ratio.

Mayor Burgess disclosed at the last meeting that council in informal discussion favored a survey independent of those made by the Menlo Park fair rent committee and the office of the housing expediter. Those two studies were attacked at the Nov. 29 public hearing on decontrol, from the standpoint of conclusions as well as the figures contained.

While the prospect of waiting until city employes are available to make checks on properties won't bring cheers from the decontrol-seeking fair rent committee, the council seems to be acting wisely in making an independent check. The Long Beach city government was up against the same problem, made its own findings and then decided on decontrol.

Should Menlo Park's council recommend decontrol to the governor, its position may be stronger by having made its own investigation. The Veterans Civic Committee already has said it would circulate petitions of protest for submission to the governor if decontrol is recommended. And the committee bases its case on contention the federal expediter's survey, which concluded there is "still a critical rental shortage in Menlo Park," is the one that should be the guide for council.

Your City's Business



Special Districts Studied

BY CHARLES P. BURGESS

Among the problems of equity in taxation for local governmental purposes in California is one particularly sore spot concerning city-county operations. County tax rates apply equally on all property in the county whether inside or outside incorporated cities, except that in some counties (not ours for a number of years) there is a special road tax

There seems no disposition to question some city subsidy to maintain county services in purely rural areas. However, the growth of residential areas in unincorporated sections has resulted in the extension of some quasi-municipal services by the counties to these areas.

And the cities, of course, paying the bulk of the county tax bill in metropolitan areas, are paying the bill for these services furnished by themselves to their own people.

A practical method for removing portions of this burden from city taxpayers is the formation of special districts in unincorporated areas. It was of interest to note that Dr. John C. Bollens, an administrative analyst with the Bureau of Public Administration, University of California, had an article on special districts in California in the November issue of the National Municipal Review.

He reported that in the five metropolitan counties of Los Angeles, Sacramento, Orange, San Mateo and Contra Costa, there was a total of 644 special districts.

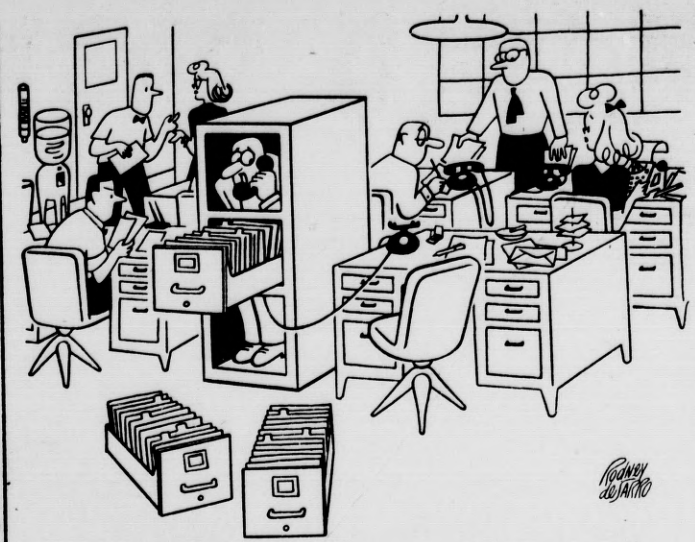
After a discussion of the various types of districts, together with their respective advantages and disadvantages, Bollens noted that the choice in obtaining satisfactory government in the smaller urban areas of California may really be between annexation and incorporation.

Bollens quoted three authorities on government in metropolitan areas as concurring that "special districts increase the confusion of independent and semi-independent governmental units which make up the present day chaos of metropolitan government".

Finally Bollens made the statement that the time had probably come in California when population density should be the standard for requiring by court order that an area either incorporate or secure annexation to an existing city. While this proposal might be considered rather severe in some quarters, it is the only realistic way in which these areas can be put on a self-supporting basis and taken fully off of the backs of city taxpayers.

We have in our own area a community between Willow Road and San Francisquito Creek that has adequate resources for incorporation as a separate municipality, and will eventually end up as a separate city anyway.

It should not be too distant a period in the future when a separate city would be feasible back of the Alameda de las Pulgas. Certainly when these infant residential and commercial areas become of age they should be required to stand upon their own feet, even if the desire for local self-government hasn't kept pace with physical growth.



"Look, Ruth- can I call you back this evening? There's really not much privacy around here"

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The Week In Menlo Park Traffic

FoHowing is a report by the Menlo Park police department on traffic arrests and accidents for the period from Dec. 13 through Dec. 19:

Citations:

Speeding	11
Arterial stop	6
Crossing barrier	2
No driver's license	3
Signals	2
Pedestrian right-of-way	1
Drunken Driving	4
Total	29

Accidents:

Injury accidents	1
Persons injured	1
Property damage	2

EPA Man To Design MP High School Grounds

The Sequoia high school board last week named Arthur Cobbledick, East Palo Alto landscape architect, and Geraldine K. Scott of Palo Alto as designers of the grounds at Menlo Park high school to be built at Middlefield and Ringwood roads.

Contract was conditional on the board's approval of an agreement to be reached between the landscapers and Arthur Janssen, school architect. The board also voted to meet with three other landscape experts before awarding a contract for the grounds of the San Carlos- Belmont high school.

Letters

Editor,
THE RECORDER:

Enclosed is a copy of a letter directed to me as the army unit instructor for the nine reserve corps units from San Mateo county that are stationed in San Bruno. The letter was addressed to me by Brigadier General Frederic B. Butler, commanding general, central military district, Sixth army, upon his departure to assume a new command.

While we are happy to have this commendation from General Butler, I am well aware that a significant factor in the growth and progress of reserve activities in San Mateo county has been due to the interest developed by the excellent publicity which has been given our activities by your newspaper.

The Menlo Park RECORDER has participated most generously in publishing news of reserve activities in San Mateo county and because I believe that credit should be given where credit is due, I would be unconscionable unless I passed on to you our thanks and appreciation for the aid you have given in assisting us in this program.

Your publication of developments in the reserve program has brought us many additional interested participants in the past few months, which is most encouraging to those of us who believe that the maintenance of an adequate and well-trained reserve corps is necessary to a properly rounded-out plan of national defense.

Sam M. Wheeling,
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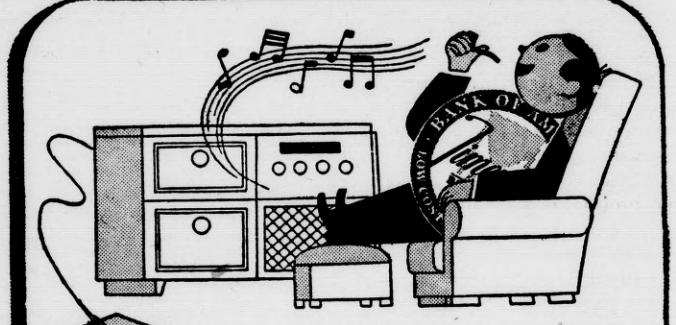
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SELL YULE DECORATIONS—Menlo Park Cub Scouts last week did their part to help householders achieve the proper Christmas atmosphere by selling holly and mistletoe to Santa Cruz avenue shoppers. Shown are members of Den 2, Pack 5 (left to right) Eric Stendell, Douglas Polle, Rickie Pierce, John Harroun, Bob Windell and Bill Miller. Not shown is Scout Curtis Stiles, who also participated in the sale. —Menlo Camera Shop.

Planners Indorse Commercial Zone Near Menlo Park

Atherton city planners last week recommended a zoning change to eliminate a light industrial zone in the unincorporated area in the rear of Roger Reynolds nursery, and thus allow development of a shopping area and protect Felton Gables from industrial encroachment.

The recommendation was made in a letter to the San Mateo county planning commission.

The Atherton planning commission's recommendation came as the result of a proposal by George J. Blech, who proposed that the residential zone within the nursery property north of Encinal avenue be changed to commercial in order to facilitate building of a shopping center.

The county planning commission set Jan. 20 as a date for a second hearing of the matter and requested Blech to submit more detailed plans at that time.

Other action taken by the county board included granting of rezoning to the Ravenswood school district for property on University avenue near Donohoe street, East Palo Alto, to allow construction of a theater. The proposed showhouse will seat 1250 persons and will be operated by the Westland theaters corporation.

Deaths

Louise Hedgpeth

Funeral services were held today for Louise Hedgpeth, Menlo Park resident for the past two and a half years who passed away at her home early this week.

Mrs. Hedgpeth was the wife of William G. Hedgpeth and resided at 323 Rural lane. She was a native of Scotland.

Surviving are her husband, two children, Douglas M. Sutter of Modesto and Mrs. Elizabeth G. Fenn of Portland, Ore.; grandchildren Lisa Carol Fenn and Donald Sutter; sisters Mrs. Susan Reid of Redwood City and Mrs. Perry Unteed of North Charleroi, Pa.; brothers Alex Morton of Los Angeles and Hugh Morton of Duquesne, Pa.; and three step-children: L. Sterling Hedgpeth of Ankara, Turkey; William N. Hedgpeth of Sacramento and the Rev. Herschel H. Hedgpeth of San Bernardino.

Services were conducted from the Roller and Hapgood chapel in Palo Alto, with Dr. R. Marvin Stuart of the Palo Alto First Methodist church officiating.

Interment was private.

Pupils Hear Address By Science Writer

Milton Silverman, science writer for the San Francisco Chronicle, last week showed specimens of dawn redwoods to pupils at Encinal school.

Silverman discussed the history of the ancient trees and told about his journey to China with professors of the University of California during which some of the few remaining trees of the strain were gathered for replanting in California.

Your Freedom of Worship

Church Services In Area

HOLY TRINITY, MENLO PARK
(Episcopal)
Eric W. Jackson, Rector

Christmas carols will be sung by the choir of Holy Trinity, under the direction of Rose Elise Shaw, at 11 p. m. on Christmas Eve before the Midnight Eucharist. The music at the Eucharist will be Churchill Sibley's Carol, "The Three Kings". The rector will preach.

On Christmas Day there will be Holy Communion services at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. There will be a children's service at 11 a.m.

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday after Christmas there will be Holy Communion services at 10 a.m.

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TEMPLE BETH JACOB
Menlo Park
Rabbi Abraham Haselkorn
Sabbath Services, Fridays, 8:15 p.m., Saturdays, 9:30 a.m.

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MEMORIAL CHURCH
Stanford University
Service, Sunday, 11 a.m.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Menlo Park
Middle Ave. and Arbor Road.
Dr. Frank E. Eden, Pastor

No meeting at 9:45 a.m.

A combined Sunday school and church service at 11 a.m. Sermon topic: "The Christmas Story," Dr. Eden.

7:30 p.m.—Carol singing with lantern slides followed by a sound motion picture entitled "The Nativity."

Wednesday—Midweek Fellowship, 7:30 p.m. The pastor will speak on "Between The Years."

Thursday—Choir practice, 7:30 p.m.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
716 Santa Cruz Avenue
The Rev. Don Emerson Hall

Annual "Festival of Lights" service will be held at 11 p.m. Christmas eve. The chapel choir will sing carols of foreign lands and illustrate them with dramatic action and narration in a program entitled "Through the Curtain." The festial will conclude with candlelighting ceremonies by the entire congregation.

On Christmas day, Sunday, services will be held at 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Sermon topic of Mr. Hall at each service will be "God, Christmas Gift." The Crusader choir will sing at the 8 a.m. service under direction of Mrs. Austin Mosher. Maurice Ellison will direct the Chapel choir at 9:30 and the Chancel choir at 11.

Special baptismal services will be conducted at 4 p.m., with music by the Carol choir under direction of Mrs. Harold Wild.

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8:15 a.m.—Sermons in song. Radio program KWBR.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:45 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.
7:45 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study.
7:45 p.m.—Friday, Young People's Service.

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The three traditional Christmas Eucharist (Holy Communion) services will be celebrated at 11:30 p.m. Saturday, and at 8:30 and 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

The entire Midnight Eucharist will be chanted according to the Missa de Angelis (service of the Angels), a 16th century group of melodies for the communion service. The sequence hymn sung by the choir will be, "Of the Father's Love Begotten." The pastor will be the celebrant and will be assisted by the Rev. Robert Visser, who will deliver the sermon.

A sacred concert of Christmas music by the choir and organ at 11 p.m. will precede the traditional Choral Eucharist on Saturday. Ann Hesselmeyer will be the organist and choir director. Soloist will be Van Kussrow Jr. The choir will sing three Bach works, How Bright Appears the Morning Star, Praise God, the Lord, Ye Sons of Men, and Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring, the traditional Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming, Coventry Carol, Puer Natus, and three parts from the 15th century Missa Secunda.

The liturgy of the Holy Eucharist at 8:30 and 11 o'clock Sunday morning will be sung according to the music in the Lutheran Hymnal. Pastor Lang will preach on, "God's Greatest Gift to Man."

Sunday School will be held as usual at 9:45 a.m. The entire Christmas story will be shown in a series of colored slides.

The Rec Roundup

Veterans Hospital Takes Top Spot In First Half of Basketball Play

The Industrial basketball league ended the first half of the current season's play last Thursday night, with the Veterans hospital in top spot and ties for second and third places.

Highest-scoring player in the league was Paige Becker of the winning quintet, who made a total of 85 points in seven games.

The Veterans' hospital aggregation won six games and lost 1. Individual scores were Becker, 85; Chapman, 68; Benner, 28; Clark, 23; Stangle, 10; Walcord, 7; Riviello, 4 and Snedeker and Harker, 0.

Menlo Motors and J & A Sales teams tied for the second spot with 5 wins and 2 losses each.

Scoring for the Motors team were Graff, 32; Schultz, 19; Williams, 18; Grill, 18; Rooney, 18; Mackey, 17; Crane, 14; Breuner, 12; Glick, 11; Hall, 9; Gibson, 5; Martin, 4; Speiker, 4 and Wallace, 0.

Scoring for J & A were Barbour, 72, runner-up for high man in the league; Brehler, 32; Elke, 30; Jarvis, 27; Pierce, 24; Teitsworth, 21; Hall, 2 and Burrett and Duncan, 0.

Spade Realty and Menlo Sport shop shared the third spot with four wins and three losses.

Scoring for Spade's were Adair, 38; Sanguienetti, 14; Peterson, 30; Chung, 31; Kavanaugh, 34; Tousey, 30; Schwartz, 4 and Wik, 3.

Tossers for the Sport shop included Cesarin with 60 points; D. Miller, 38; Ralston, 35; Overton, 30; Jensen, 21; Bellomi, 13; M. Miller, 7; Sears, 2 and Laird, Connell and Casey, 0.

L.A.A.C. won three and lost four games. Scoring were Prouse, 36; Rheinhart, 30; Newman, 28; Sheehan, 18; Swan, 17; Penn, 16; Rose, 14; Kennedy, 14; Papazoni, 6; Harrison, 4; C. Swan, 4; Trinchero, 2 and Sommers and Mourck, 0.

Peninsula Building materials casabamen escaped from the cellar by winning one game. Scorers included, Courter, 21; Malone, 16; Glassey, 15; Steck, 12; Maloney, 8; Meatteaver, 7; Morrison, 4; Lawton, 4; Rubin, 4; Reynolds, 3; Wenborn, 2; Anderson, 1 and Baker, 0.

At the bottom was Horn's upholstery with seven straight losses, but they went down fighting. Scoring were Arnold, 18 points; Burrill, 17; Hollis, 20; Brennan, 12; Russell, 10; Knight, 7; Pearch, 9; Behn, 6; Lambert, 5; Angus, 4; Noel, 4; Shaddle, 3; Braun, 3; Yuke, 3 and Pratt, 2.

Saturday morning childrens' motion pictures at Burgess park have been temporarily discontinued for the Christmas holidays, Recreation Director Fred Parsons announced.

The showings will resume after the reopening of school, Parsons said, adding that he was sure that the hero of the "western" serial would somehow manage to get out of the situation he was in when the school vacation started.

A number of intermediate and beginners' swimming certificates which were awarded at classes at Burgess park pool last summer are still uncalled for at the recreation office.

"Those who passed the tests and then failed to come after their certificates should come and get them as soon as possible," Director Parsons stated. "Next summer, if they try to get into more advanced classes at other pools, they'll have no way of showing that they've passed the Red Cross tests for their swim division without the certificates.

"They may even have trouble registering for next summer's advanced classes here unless they can show how far along they are with their swimming."

Persons who passed the tests but who never called for their certificates may get them at the recreation department office in Burgess park gym.

Recreation department offices and facilities will be closed during the Christmas holidays.

Dates on which the gym will be closed will be Dec. 24, 25 and 26.

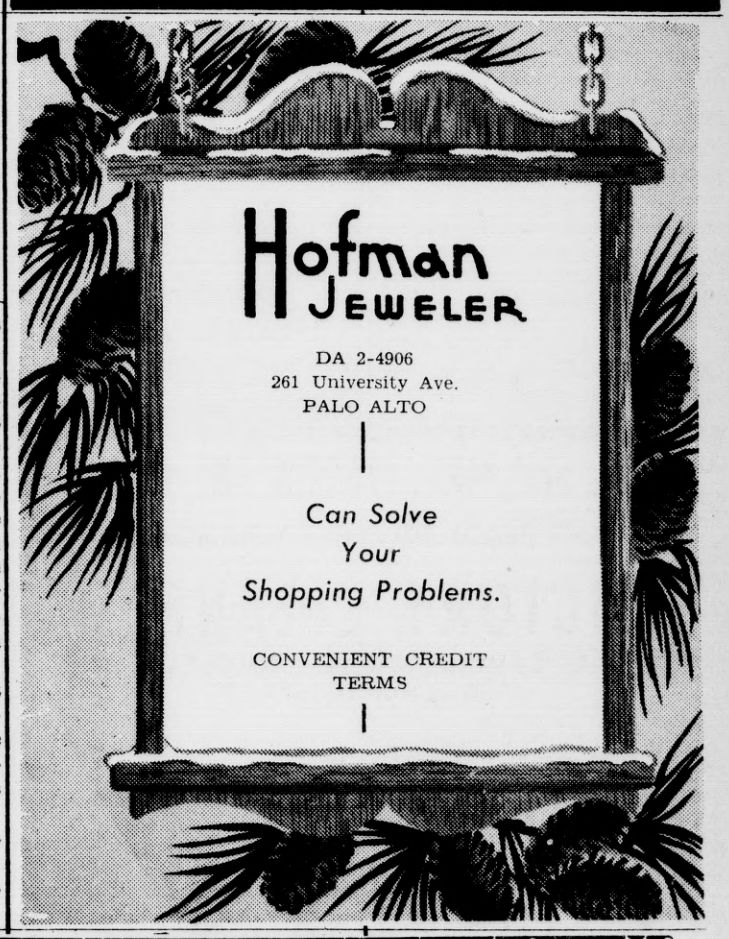
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LOOK OVER SEIZED DEVICES—Police Chief George Potter (left) and Sergeant Joe Ferreira are shown with two coin machines on which "over the counter" payoffs allegedly were made in Menlo Park last week. The machines were seized and two persons were arrested.
—Menlo Camera Shop

MASTER PLAN

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other professional building as a part of the master plan.

She told the commission that her lot is the only deep lot on the block which has not been rezoned, although she started her first attempts to get the property reclassified "one year and six days" ago.

Since then, she said, other lots in the area have had their status changed.

Commissioners replied that the rezoning was not a matter for consideration as a part of the master plan, and added that Mrs. Ohler was free to submit another application for reclassification.

Hutchinson Quits Planning Board

The Menlo Park planning commission this week forwarded the resignation of Robert W. Hutchinson, member of the commission since February, to the city council for action.

The resignation came in form of a letter submitted in person by Hutchinson Monday night. No reason for resigning was given, but in expressing the regret of other commissioners, Chairman Charles Andrews called attention to ill health which has kept Hutchinson from attending recent meetings.

A leader of the Belle Haven Improvement association, Hutchinson was appointed to the commission upon the resignation of Uno Ahlenius shortly after the Belle Haven annexation.

Motorist Fined $250 For Reckless Driving

Cecil Leland Smith, 53, of 130 Brookwood, Redwood City, was fined $250 by Judge E. J. Ryan in Menlo Park Dec. 14 on a plea of guilty to a charge of reckless driving.

Smith was arrested on El Camino Real by Patrolman William Pogge on Dec. 10.

It was erroneously reported last week in the RECORDER that the defendant was L. C. Smith.

LINDSAY TRACT

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In referring back to the planning commission last week all rezonings of the tract, lying immediately south of Stanford Village and the city recreation area, councilmen said the project apparently had collapsed.

They noted that one concern that had planned on erecting headquarters in a unique "professional zone" approved in the tract, Underwriters Laboratories, had informed the city it was abandoning plans to locate in Menlo Park because it could not accept terms imposed by the tract owner.

TWO OTHER FIRMS

Councilmen indicated that two other firms that had been interested in the "professional zone" development also have been unable to carry on their plans.

In returning the matter to the planning commission, council suggested the entire tract be rezoned to its original classification for single family dwellings only.

Council expressed fear that if the various projects failed, the tract might become an apartment house area, which it regarded as undesirable.

SEVERAL REZONINGS

The rezonings granted after a series of public hearings included that for "professional" undertakings as well as for garden type apartments, single family dwellings and small retail establishments along Middlefield road.

PLANE CRASH

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Officials of the civil aeronautics administration roped off the plane.

The power lines were severed at 12:19 p.m. and service was restored at 2:19 p.m.

PG&E officials said the area affected included the cities of Los Altos, Mountain View, Sunnyvale, Palo Alto, part of Menlo Park, Portola, Stanford university, La Honda, San Gergorio and a region along the coast below Pesadero.

Power remained on in part of Menlo Park west of Doyle street which is supplied by a smaller 'feeder' line from Redwood City.

Menlo Park police took over traffic control at the Santa Cruz avenue-El Camino Real intersection when the accident interrupted operation of the automatic signals.

The Menlo Park fire district loaned a power unit to the postoffice so that stamping of parcels and other operations couud be continued during the shutdown.

Alleged Payoffs On Coin Devices Bring 2 Arrests

Alleged "over the counter" payoffs on coin machines resulted in the arrest of two persons and seizure of two devices by Menlo Park police last week.

Charged under anti-gambling statutes were Emil Balocco, 38, barkeeper at Carlun's Place, 9 El Camino Real, and Mrs. Ivy Schreier, 36, waitress at Arnold's coffee shop, Bayshore and Willow road.

Police Chief George Potter said the arrests resulted from investigations and warnings issued the operators of both places. Potter, Patrolman Tom Casey and a special officer made the arrests and confiscated the machines.

The devices are console nickel machines of the "super bell" type.

In each place, Potter said, a payoff of 20 cents was made in the presence of the special officer.

The two defendants were booked at the San Mateo county jail and released under $100 bail each.

Potter said the city has been checked closely for gambling operations and that such investigations would continue.

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12 Take Examinations For MP Police Force

Oral examinations of 12 applicants for positions on the Menlo Park police force were held Saturday morning.

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Here and There:

In South County

By June Spieker
EMerson 8-0544

Very merry was Saturday morning's Christmas party staged at the Menlo Circus club by the Woodside-Atherton Auxiliary to the Stanford Convalescent Home. A line of kiddies all morning long all the way across the room, waiting to see their old favorite...Santa.

The children were entranced with the young and adept folk dancers in their gay costumes; also many young eyes glued on the model electric train which was in constant action; party ending about 1 o'clock with all the children very much in the Christmas mood.

In the evening, the mamas and daddies took over the club for their gala dinner dance, all done in the Christmas vein too. Highlight of the evening was the hilarious Charleston contest which ended in a tie.

Among those who entertained at cocktails beforehand were **Shirley and Wilson Foster, Betty and Bill Bancroft** and **Edwina and Peter Kump.**

At the party: **Helen and Woody Leahy** arriving with **Ruth Randall and Peter Schutz**...a rousing hand from the sidelines for the contest entrants came from **Lorraine** and **Chet Dennis.** Seen here and there... **The Bob Rosentraters, Jean and Rex Jones, Muffett and Ross Chamberlain** and **Betty and George Bunyon, Helen and Bob Moulton** chatting with **Colleen and Kenny Cuthbertson, the Dick Wrights** taking a turn on the dance floor.

Home again in Woodside are **Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Fay** and their daughter **Sally** after their six months tour of Europe. Last Sunday the Fays entertained at their home at a family dinner party by way of a welcome home. Next Sunday they once again gather their clan together for their annual Christmas celebration.

Among their family who will be there are the **Paul B. Fays Jr.** of San Francisco and the **Marten Barrys** of Menlo Park, along with their young offspring.

Unable to attend are the Fays' elder daughter and son-in-law, the **Ward Woods** and their children, who reside in Coronado.

Notes at random: It's houseguests again for **Sue** and **Harris Fenn,** this time the senior **Harris Fenns** who are here from their home in the east and will spend the holidays with the junior Fenns at their Atherton home...Christmas eve is the night which **Priscilla** and **Whit Rideway** have set aside for their Yuletide cocktail party...The list is growing for the Rose Bowl-bound; among those planning to head south for the event are **Valerie** and **Jim Shields, the George Dickson Clarks, Celeste** and **Elton Tognazzini** and the **Duncan McBrydes.**

Going farther south to Mexico for New Year's are **Sue** and **Bud Carlisle.** Skiing at Squaw Valley is on tap for **Mary** and **Gordon Knapp.**

Last Sunday was a popular entertaining day for it was at luncheon on that day that **Mary** and **Lee Cutler** were hosts while in the evening **Mrs. Walter Boardman's** guests enjoyed her annual eggnog party at her home in Woodside.

On New Year's eve friends of **Lorraine** and **Chet Dennis** will band together for a no-host party at their home in Menlo Park.

Wow!

IT'S TWINS

A blue card with "WOW!" in large letters on the front this week announced to friends the Dec. 12 birth of twin sons to Mr. and Mrs. George Fuerst of 720 Hobart street.

The new additions, named Darby William and Rory William, weighed in at five and a half and five pounds, 14 ounces respectively. They were born at St. Mary's hospital in San Francisco.

The Fuersts have four other children: Peadar, 7, Penny Ann, 5, Ginger Ann, 3, and Jill Marie, 20 months, who will help their new brothers celebrate Christmas.

These Are Your Neighbors

Ravenswood Doings

By Mrs. Don Walker
DA 2-3355

Drumsticks, mistletoe, pumkin pie, plum pudding and gifts under the family trees will hold the limelight this Christmas weekend.

Some families down our way will celebrate at home, just family, such as **Mr.** and **Mrs. Eric H. Davies,** who will carve the turkey and share Christmas with their daughter **Daintree.**

Others will travel, such as the **F. A. Daughtrey** family, mother and father and **Charlene, Jerry, Jimmy,** and **Johnny,** who will go to grandmother's in Santa Maria for Christmas. Mother and children drove down yesterday to be with her mother, **Mrs. Maria Bettersworth.** Mr. Daughtrey will follow Saturday.

Further south go **Mr.** and **Mrs. Howard Gillette** tomorrow, for their goal is Los Angeles, where they will celebrate Christmas with Mrs. Gillette's mother, **Mrs. Rosa Walburn** and her brother-in-law and sister, **Mr.** and **Mrs. E. C. Miles.** They will return early next week.

Even farther afield have gone the **William Lawrences,** for they are now in Arkansas, visiting his parents. They expect to return just before the New Year.

Mr. and **Mrs. David Maris** will have a family dinner Christmas eve at their home in Menlo Park. Besides **Mrs. Nettie Fibush, Mr.** and **Mrs. Don Walker, Mr.** and **Mrs. J. E. McPherson** of San Mateo, they will have **Mrs. Dorothy Maris** and **Homer E. Maris. Ann Maris, Dick** and **Michael Walker, Larry** and **Kathleen McPherson** in to round out the party.

Mr. and **Mrs. George Gayer** and their two children are entertaining **Mr.** and **Mrs. A. F. Sall** of Portland, Ore., Mrs. Gayer's parents, and her sister and brother-in-law, the **F. J. McClellands** of Corvallis, Ore.

Mr. and **Mrs. Jeff O. Harrison** and their daughter **Kathy** are having their turkey and presents with **Mr.** and **Mrs. Bruce Oshier** in San Mateo.

Sonora will open its arms to the **Jack Dentons** over the Christmas holidays, for their families are expecting them and their two children, **Cathie** and **Douglas.**

It is a real celebration at the **Judson Winn's** home on Chester street, for it was but a month ago that Mr. Winn came back from Arabia, to find their youngest child almost talking and walking. Young **Katherine Elizabeth Winn** and her parents are entertaining the grandparents, **Mr.** and **Mrs. Roy Liddecoat** and aunt and uncle, **Mr.** and **Mrs. Chester Liddecoat** of Redwood City, at Christmas.

And the day after Christmas **Roy Liddecoat** is taking 16 of his Mountaineer Hy Y boys up into the high Sierras near Silver lake to camp out and to visit at the Liddecoat ranch.

Mr. and **Mrs. Emmett A. McGinn** are to be hosts at the family dinner Christmas day. Their guests will include their daughter **Nona,** who is a student at San Jose State and who lives in San Jose.

Nona McGinn gave a kitchen shower in San Jose for her roommate, **Leontine Oberg,** who is to be married Dec. 23. Her father and mother drove down from East Palo Alto to attend.

Monday Troop one Brownies of Ravenswood celebrated its birthday with a birthday cake at the home of Mrs. Henry Flores, 2036 Capitol avenue.

Mrs. Al Fitzgerald has her sister, **Mrs. Etta Scherck** of Livermore as their house guest. They and Mr. Fitzgerald are going to spend Christmas day with their cousins, **Mrs. Arthur Wallace** and **Mrs. Earl Leader.**

Mr. and **Mrs. John Chaffet** are going to Berkeley to exchange gifts and share turkey with **Mr.** and **Mrs. Ed Plate,** taking grandmother, **Mrs. Al Whitman,** and their son **Bobby.**

Also across the Bay will go the **Don Walkers,** to have turkey with Don's sister and family, the **Ken Breazeales,** his mother, **Mrs. Lily F. Walker** and his brothers, **Ray** and **Tommy.**

Just the minute he is through with work Christmas eve, **Harry Overstreet** is gathering up his family, **Juanita, Sandra** and **Butch,** and going to Modesto to visit.

ROBERT H. THEDES, NEWLYWEDS, TO MAKE HOME IN MENLO PARK

Soon to make their home in Menlo Park are newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Thede, who exchanged vows Saturday at the Hillsborough home of the bride's parents, the Robert Koshlands.

The bride, formerly Susan Koshland, wore a white satin gown with sleeves, a long train and a heart-shaped neckline which was worn by her sister Peggy when the latter married Robert Arnold.

The veil was of rosepoint lace and was held in place with a matching lace crown. The bridal bouquet was composed of lilies of the valley and sprays of bouvardia.

Susan was given in marriage by her father.

The Rev. Robert Minto, of Stanford university Memorial chapel, officiated at the ceremony.

Mrs. Arnold acted as her sister's matron of honor. Attendants were Mrs. James Wilton, Mary Kraft, Marjorie Sampson, Jean Heinie and Mrs. Robert Koshland Jr. They wore identical gowns of white taffeta with full skirts and low, round necklines styled with stand-up collars.

Each attendant carried a bouquet of cerise camelias.

Jerry Thede acted as best man.



GUEST ARTISTS at the Little House Christmas entertainment and birthday-of-the-month party Dec. 16 included above Scotch minstrel Jack Fleck and his wife, Anne, monologuist. Three birthdays were celebrated, after which "Scotty" sang English, Irish and highland folk songs and Mrs. Fleck did several characterizations. The evening ended with distribution of gifts from around the Christmas tree followed by the singing of Christmas carols. More than 40 persons attended, making the gathering the most successful which the Little House has yet held. —Menlo Camera Shop



'FOREIGN LANDS' was the theme of the bazaar held Friday and Saturday by the St. Anthony's club at the new church building on Fifth avenue, North Fair Oaks. Shown above with some of the articles which were featured are (right) Mrs. Albert Thompson, Atherton, president of the club and chairman of the bazaar, and Mrs. John Sobrato, also of Atherton, who was in charge of the needlework booth. The bazaar's other features included a French sidewalk cafe and a large assortment of arts and crafts goods. —Menlo Camera Shop.

AWVS Holds Party, Election

A Christmas party and election of officers for 1950 highlighted the December meeting of the Menlo Park-Atherton division of the American Women's Voluntary Services Monday at the home of Mrs. Louis Rothenberg, 98 Fairview Avenue, Atherton.

Mrs. Herbert O. Walters was elected chairman, Mrs. Charles McDaniel, first vice-chairman; Mrs. Travis Moring, second vice-chairman; Mrs. Rolland Ferguson, recording secretary and Mrs. J. C. McQueen, director of publicity.

Immediately after the election of officers, a buffet luncheon was served, followed by a Christmas program and exchange of gifts. Mrs. Herbert Walters read the story "Christmas in Switzerland" and Christmas carols were played by Mrs. Rothenberg at the marimba, Mrs. Clifford Mott, accordion, and Mrs. Chester West, piano. Mrs. A. C. Hammerman gave a reading.

Hostesses for the party included Mrs. Bernard Neustadter, Mrs. Clifford Doan, Mrs. Travis Moring, Mrs. J. C. McQueen, Mrs. Louis Rothenberg, Mrs. Herbert Walters, Mrs. Charles McDaniel and Mrs. Louise Cutler.

As part of the local group's Christmas program for the Veteran's Administration Hospital, a ping pong table will be presented for the new game room which is being added to "The Haven."

JUNIOR N.D.G.W. HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY AT SCHOOL

The Menlo Park Junior Native Daughters of the Golden West held a Christmas luncheon and party following their regular meeting last Saturday at Central school auditorium.

A decorated and lighted tree in the center of the auditorium provided a background for Santa Claus, portrayed by Margaret Paccioretti. Gifts were distributed to 17 Junior members and the senior advisors.

The luncheon was served by Mrs. B. Rogers, Mrs. A. Mosher, Mrs. J. Loverich and Mrs. David Carlson. Mrs. Catherine Derry was guest of honor.

Atherton Skipper Named Fleet Commodore

Captain Hobart J. Ehman of Atherton Monday became commodore of the American President Lines' global fleet at ceremonies held aboard his vessel, the S3 President Cleveland, in San Francisco.

Ehman, 51, joined the company 24 years ago and has served in various capacities since then. He took command of the President Cleveland in February.

His ship has been designated the company's flagship.

Army Reservists Set Dec. 28 Meeting

San Mateo county army reserve members will meet Wednesday, Dec. 28, in the second December meeting of their regular training program at San Bruno. The nine units participating will gather at 8 p.m. in Building E-101 of the U. S. navy station on El Camino Real opposite Tanforan.

No special meetings have been scheduled during the holiday season, according to Major Sam Wheeling, San Bruno unit instructor.

STUDENTS' MOTHERS ARE GUESTS AT TEA

Mrs. Melvin Findley of Palo Alto last Thursday entertained mothers of Menlo School and College students with a tea at her Jefferson drive home.

Mothers of members of the high school's senior class were presented to members of the board of the school Mothers' club and also met those who are acting as class mothers.

About People

Here at Home

Two capacity audiences attended the Christmas program presented last Friday and Saturday nights by the Menlo Players Guild. The one act play written by Guild Director, Asher Wilson and directed by Nancy Leavelle was enjoyed by the large audience.

Rose Ann Sayler's pupils presented an interesting and varied dance program in tap, acrobatic and ballet.

Mrs. Joseph Horn was hostess last Sunday at her home 657 Middle avenue at a birthday dinner given in honor of **Mrs. M. Zgragen** of Hollister. In addition to Mr. and Mrs. Zgragen, 14 guests were present.

Mr. and **Mrs. L. L. Johnston,** 1000 Creek drive, with their two children **Lawrence** and **Eveleen** will spend Christmas in San Francisco at the home of Mrs. Johnston's sister, **Mrs. Walter Von der Lieth.**

Mr. and **Mrs. Ralph Davies** of Woodside entertained for their debutante daughter **Ellen,** at a Christmas supper party at the Menlo Country club last night.

One hundred and fifty young friends of the guest of honor were present.

Rose Ann Sayler leaves this afternoon for the Hawaiian Islands where for the next three weeks she will dance in the children's and servicemen's wards in the numerous island hospitals.

Penny Lindsay North of Menlo Park returned home this week for Christmas vacation from her studies at Mills College, Oakland. She will spend the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Francis S. North of 332 Arden avenue.

Security Analysts Elect EPA Resident

John B. Beckett, 1989 Menalto avenue, East Palo Alto, this week was elected vice president of the Security Analysts of San Francisco.

The election took place at an annual meeting of the organization at which Richard W. Lambourne of Palo Alto was elected president.

Beckett is associated with Blyth and company.

St. Anthony's Club Has Successful Bazaar

The annual bazaar of the St. Anthony's club, held Friday and Saturday at the new St. Anthony's church in North Fair Oaks, was proclaimed a 'huge success' by those who attended as well as members of the sponsoring organization.

Theme of the fete was "foreign lands," with booths decorated in the national colors of various countries and with the attendants clad in the national costumes of the places which they represented for the day.

The Rev. Thomas McKeon of the Church of the Nativity was honorary chairman for the affair.

Mrs. Albert G. Thompson, newly re-elected president of the club, acted as general chairman. Assisting her were Albert Thompson, in charge of imports; Dorothy Ellenberger, dolls; Marie Stamm, cakes; Emilie Duggins, arts and crafts; Mrs. John Sobrato, needlework; Mrs. R. Andrews, fish pond; M. Lascroux, groceries; Jack Riley, auction; Joe Conway, games; Amy Van Fliet, refreshments; A. Loustau, dinner; John Aspinwall, Fred Stamm and Aug Loustau, decorations and Mrs. A. Ferger, tickets.

The bazaar was followed by a dinner given Saturday evening by Mrs. Loustau.

Proceeds of the bazaar were contributed to the church's building fund.

LAST OF STANFORD 'OLD GUARD' HAS 90th BIRTHDAY

STANFORD—The last surviving member of Stanford's "Old Guard" was 90 years old Dec. 16.

The only living member of the pioneer group of scholars who joined Stanford's first president, Dr. David Starr Jordan, in opening a new university in 1891 is Dr. Douglas H. Campbell, professor emeritus of botany.

Still spry and in good spirits, Dr. Campbell was honored at a luncheon given at the Menlo Country club by fellow faculty members.

Botanists at the Universities of Michigan and Indiana, where Dr. Campbell taught before coming to Stanford with Dr. Jordan, joined in extending birthday greetings as did Stanford's president, Dr. Wallace Sterling. Dr. Campbell was presented with birthday letters from the heads of various scholarly and scientific organizations to which he belongs.

Fire Causes $300 Loss At Gardener's Cottage

Fire caused by a defective flue on a wood stove was blamed by firemen for an estimated $300 damage to a gardener's cottage and contents at the Desimone estate, 123 Almendral avenue, Atherton, Dec. 15.

MP Calendar Of Events

December 23

8 p.m.—Menlo Mixers, advanced folk dance group, at Burgess park gym.

December 26

8 p.m.—Regular weekly National Guard drill at Burgess park gym.

December 27

7:30 p.m.—Regular meeting, Menlo Park city council, at civic center.

December 28

8 p.m.—San Mateo county army reservists meet at navy station, San Bruno.

8 p.m.—Beginner's folk dance class at Burgess park gym.



TABLEAU AT NATIVITY HALL—Members of St. Joseph's school Girl Scout troop 105 Sunday evening presented their Christmas program at the Church of the Nativity parish hall. Shown in a tableau of the nativity scene which was part of the program are (left to right) Ellen Butow, Leslie Rice, Barbara Upton, Lynn Perry, Patsy Morey, Alice Merryman, Sharon Cain, Diane Lovegrove, Gretjen Gumpertz, Linda Lou Caldwell and Sandra Bettes. —Menlo Camera Shop

Girl Scout Doings

Encinal School Troop 39 Holds Birthday Party

Girl Scout Troop 39 of Encinal school in Menlo Park held a birthday party Dec. 15 in the school auditorium, with 13 girls receiving membership stars.

The investiture ceremony was held for two girls, Alice Platt and Josephine Chi. Josephine gave her promise in Chinese, having recently come to this country from China. Her father is an instructor at Stanford.

The girls sang Christmas carols, and music was furnished by Carolyn Nicholas, Merry Davenport, Sally Jensen and Margie Hutter.

Special guests were Mrs. Ina Porter, school principal, and Mrs. Milton Silverman, neighborhood chairman. Mrs. Silverman presented badges to Nancy Baccelli, Joanne Broeren, Mary Sue Coleman, Dolores Cottrell, Barbara Croasdale, Merry Davenport, Margaret Healy, Sally Jensen, Doana Jackson, Carolyn Nicholas, Cathy Peterson, Alice Taylor and Margery Hutter.

On Dec. 29 the troop is invited to the co-leader's home, Mrs. Walter Healy, for luncheon. Following the luncheon the group will go to the Rolladium for a roller skating party. Accompanying them will be Mrs. Healy, Mrs. Hutter, the troop leader, and members of the troop committee who are: Mrs. Karl Peterson, Mrs. L. T. Broeren and Mrs. John Davenport.

BROWNIE TROOP 117 HOLDS CHRISTMAS PARTY

Brownie Troop No. 117 held its Christmas party Dec. 21 at the home of Mrs. Louis Lencioni, 825 Menlo avenue, Menlo Park. The girls exchanged gifts and also presented gifts which they had made to their mothers. Refreshments were served.

Those present were: Sheila Doran, Nadine Graves, Louise Lencioni, Linda Marino, Diane McHenry, Bery Ann Perry, Jean Salmon, Jo Ann Saunders, Glorin Silvester and Susan Strickland.

Mrs. James Silvester is leader of the Troop.

TROOP 68 ENJOYS PARTY

On December 22, Scouts of Troop No. 68 held their Christmas party at the home of Troop Leader Mrs. James Stepp, 865 Cotton street, Menlo Park. For the past month the girls have been working on Christmas tray favors to be presented to the Veteran's Hospital. They have also packed a box of clothing to be sent overseas.

Scouts participating were: Suzanne Baughn, Janet Bertoni, Mary Blake, Helen Burgess, Roberta De Franco, Margaret Salmon, Virginia Cincera, Eugenia Dunne, Joanne Felkner, Caroline Gerbo, Jackie Hambough, Yvonne Layne, Ramona McIntosh, Donna Newport, Janet Phillips, Dianne Prichard, Dianne Sullivan and Bonnie Smith.

What's New At MP Library

Receipt of the following new volumes at the Menlo Park branch library, 631 Menlo avenue, was announced this week by Librarian Mrs. Vera Johnson.

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"The Crazy Glasspecker"—Dodge
"The Borgia Testament"—Baldwin
"Give Me Thy Vineyard"—Howard
"The White Sail"—Bassett
"The Promise"—Cram
"The Egyptian"—Waltari
"Revolt in San Marcus"—North
"The Doctor at Coffee Gap"—Savage
"One on the House"—Lasswell
"Tales of the South Pacific"—Michener

ADULT NON-FICTION

"No Banner, No Bugles"—Ellsberg
"The Royal Highway"—Corle
"Prairie Schooner Detours"—Paden
"Amateur Boat Building"—Verney
"Paul Revere's Horse"—Azoy
"The Vital Center"—Schlesinger
"Stalin—a Political Biography"—Deutscher
"Furniture Treasury"—Nutting
"House in the Sun"—Chandos

The library is open from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Stanford Professor Elected to Post

STANFORD—Dr. Norman Philbrick of the Stanford speech and drama department faculty will be installed as executive secretary of the American Educational Theatre association at its convention in Chicago late this month.

The Stanford assistant professor of speech and drama will succeed William Halstead of the University of Michigan faculty.

Professor Hubert C. Heffner, head of the Stanford speech and drama faculty, is retiring president of the AETA.

The election of Dr. Philbrick to the AETA post will bring the organization's headquarters to the Stanford campus for the next three years.

U. S. Resources Conservation To Be Discussed

STANFORD—A panel discussion of the problems of conservation of natural resources on the west coast will be one of the highlights of the 19th annual winter meeting of the Western Society of Naturalists Dec. 28-30 at Stanford University.

Two other panels, one on recent advances in genetics and the other on the natural history of invertebrates, will be on the program, which will also include presentation of 41 technical papers in various natural science fields.

More than 100 scientists from universities and colleges in the West will attend.

The symposium on conservation will be held at 9 a.m. Dec. 30 in Cubberley Auditorium. Participants will be Stephen N. Wyckoff, U. S. forest service, talking on the subject of soils and water; Emanuel Fritz of the University of California School of forestry, forests; William Dasmann, range resources, and Carlton H. Herman, wildlife, both from the California division of fish and game; and Robert C. Miller, California Academy of Sciences, inland fisheries.

This symposium and various other sessions will be open to the public, including a talk by Dr. Gordon Ferris, Stanford biologist, on "Collecting Scale Insects in China." He will speak at 8 p.m.

8 From MP Area Pass Bar Exams

Eight men from Menlo Park, Atherton and East Palo Alto were among the 490 persons who passed the California state bar examination given in October.

Successful candidates from Menlo Park included Carl A. Barnes, 799 Berkeley avenue; John Elmer Loomis, 1005 Roble avenue; Howard C. Park, 903 Peggy lane; George R. Pfeiffer, 445 Yale road and Gordon E. von Kalinowski, postoffice box 832.

Others qualifying were Robert Leadley Crane of 206 West O'Connor street, East Palo Alto; Edwin C. Conn Jr., 111 Almendral avenue, and Robert Joseph Foley, 83 Tuscaloosa avenue, Atherton.

Dancing Features EPA Eagles Party

An hour of dancing entertainment by the Dorothy Roberts School of Redwood City featured the Christmas party of the Palo Alto Aerie 2360, Fraternal Order of Eagles, on Monday night, at the American Legion hall in East Palo Alto.

Chairman was Ted Lawson.

Officers who helped with the party were Richard W. Lawson, president; C. A. Savage, vice president; L. E. Cook, secretary; Al Hardwick, treasurer; Carl Del Aquilla, chaplain; Phil Cosutto, inside guard; Warren Newell, outside guard and Hugh Green, musician. Trustees are Dale Thomas, Garland Plotner and Fred Gale.

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Employers Asked To Make Use of On-Job Training

A suggestion to employers in San Mateo county that they consider the advantages of on-the-job training program for veterans as a means of developing a skilled and effective work force is made by Floyd D. Granger, Veterans service officer.

Under the GI bill of rights, Granger explained, a veteran may be learning a trade or vocation in an establishment approved for training, and at the same time draw subsistence pay from the federal government. The government may also provide him with certain necessary tools.

Approximately 37,000 firms throughout California have trained or are training ex-servicemen under this program, either as apprentices or as on-the-job trainees, Granger said. However, it is believed that many more veterans could receive this training and many more employers reap substantial benefit if the latter would look into the possibilities and details.

To participate in the OJT program, firms must be approved by the state division of apprenticeship standards. Granger works closely with officials of that agency who serve this part of the state, and has invited interested employers and veterans to call on him at the veterans service office in the courthouse, Redwood City, for further information.

Fire Causes $200 Loss At Livestock Feed Shed

An estimated $200 damage was done to a livestock feed shed Sunday at the home of John Gantenbein of 1205 Garden street, East Palo Alto.

Whoooooeeee!

Where The MP Firemen Went

Menlo Park fire district firemen answered 12 calls during the week ended Dec. 19 including one major building fire and four special service calls.

The calls were:

Dec. 13—To a home at 71 Park drive, Atherton, where a soot-filled chimney caused smoke which alarmed residents. Firemen also disconnected a short-circuited electric furnace motor at a home at 156 Stockbridge avenue.

Dec. 14—Smoke scare at 2378 Palo Verde avenue. Firemen were called to rescue a dog which fell into a swimming pool at 128 Encinal avenue, but the dog climbed out by himself before firemen arrived.

Fire at Clifford's pharmacy at 693 Santa Cruz avenue did an estimated $25,000 damage. An employee suffered first and second degree burns and cuts.

Dec. 15—Fire in San Francisquito creek bed at University avenue and Woodland avenue, East Palo Alto, apparently started by an itinerant. Fire in a dwelling on estate at 123 Almendral avenue, Atherton, $300 damage. A faulty flue was given as cause.

Dec. 16—Unnecessary call to Bayshore highway and Willow road, where a resident thought he saw a truck afire.

Dec. 17—Firemen called to give first aid to a man who fell from a ladder at 2 Southgate avenue, Atherton. Firemen made the accident victim comfortable until a doctor arrived.

Firemen entered a house at 1990 Palo Alto way, turned off floor furnace and removed clothes drier from top of it in answer to telephone call by householder from Berkeley.

Dec. 18—Livestock feed shed fire at 1205 Garden street, East Palo Alto, $200 damage. Firemen turned off furnace at 1 Altschul avenue, Atherton, when a thermostat failed.

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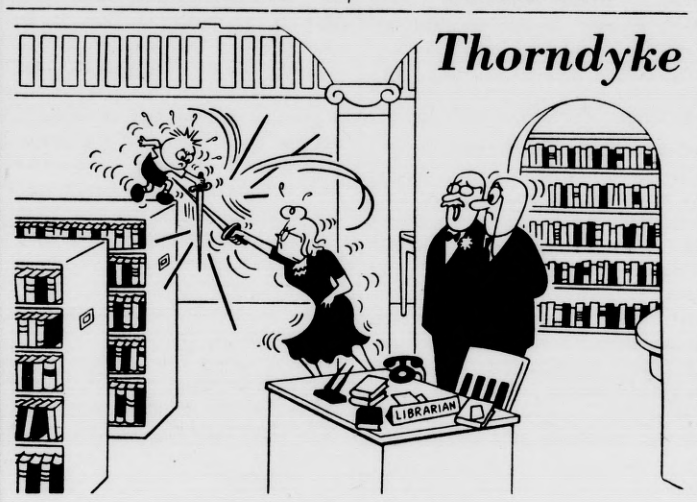
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RESOLUTION NO. 768
RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MENLO PARK GIVING NOTICE OF PROPOSED ANNEXATION OF THE HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED TERRITORY DESIGNATED AS "YALE-HUSS PORTIONS OF MARTIN TRACT" TO THE CITY OF MENLO PARK.

WHEREAS, under the provisions of that certain Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act to Provide for the Alteration of the Boundaries of Incorporated Town and Cities by the Annexation of Uninhabited Territory Thereto and for the Incorporation of such Annexed Territory in and as a Part of such Municipality, and for the Districting, Government and Municipal Control of such Annexed Territory", (Statutes 1939, Chapter 297, Deering's General Laws, Act No. 5162), proceedings for the annexation to the City of Menlo Park of the territory hereinafter particularly described have been initiated by the filing of a petition for annexation to the City of Menlo Park of the Territory hereinafter described by W. H. YALE, GRACE M. YALE and ANNA HUSS, the owners of the property in said territory proposed to be annexed.

AND WHEREAS, the exterior boundaries of said territory described in said petition and which territory is continguous to the limits of the City of Menlo Park, County of San Mateo, State of California, are described as follows, to-wit:

Portion of Lot 2, as designated on the map entitled "Map of Martin Tract, Menlo Park", which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, September 6, 1887 in Volume "D" of Maps at page 34, and a copy thereof entered in Volume 2 of Maps at page 1, described as follows:

BEGINNING at the intersection of the center lines of Elder Avenue and Santa Cruz Avenue, thence along the center line of said Elder Avenue North 56° 30' West 400 feet; thence at right angles South 33° 30' West 331.78 feet; thence at right angles South 56° 30' East 400 feet to the center line of said Santa Cruz Avenue; thence along the center line of said Santa Cruz Avenue North 33° 30' East 331.78 feet to the point of beginning.

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AND WHEREAS, the aforesaid petition of W. H. YALE, GRACE M. YALE and ANNA HUSS for the annexation of the territory hereinbefore described, to the City of Menlo Park, a muncipal corporation, has been filed with and received by the said City Council of the City of Menlo Park;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Menlo Park does by this Resolution give notice of such proposed annexation, does hereby designate said territory as the "YALE-HUSS PORTIONS OF MARTIN TRACT" and does further fix Tuesday, the 10th day of January, 1950 at the hour of 8:00 o'clock P.M. at the Council Chamber in the City Hall, Menlo Park, California, as the day, hour and place when and where any person owning real property within such territory so proposed to be annexed and having any objection to the proposed annexation may appear before the City Council and show cause why such territory should not be so annexed;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by said City Council that the City Clerk of the City of Menlo Park be, and she is hereby, directed to cause a copy of this resolution to be published at least once a week for two successive weeks prior to the day fixed for hearing, in the Menlo Park Recorder, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in the City of Menlo Park, the municipal corporation to which it is proposed to annex the hereinbefore described territory.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that at any time not later than the hour set for hearing objections to the proposed annexation, any owner of property within the territory proposed to be annexed may file written protest against the proposed annexation. Such protests shall state the name or names of the owner or owners of the property affected thereby, and the description and area of such property in general terms.

I, MARGARET A. BECKER, City Clerk of the City of Menlo Park, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Menlo Park at a regular meeting held by said City Council on the 13th day of December, 1949 by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen: Brown, Burgess, Church, Ford & Hayes.
NOES: Councilmen: None.
ABSENT: Councilmen: None.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official Seal of said City this 13th day of December, 1949.

MARGARET A. BECKER,
City Clerk

Published: December 22, 29, 1949; January 5, 1950.

No. 2647
CERTIFICATE OF INDIVIDUAL DOING BUSINESS UNDER FICTITOUS NAME

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 18th day of Nov., 1949.

KENNETH C. BRUCE

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO ss.

On this 18th day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine, before me, H. E. HIGGINS, a Notary Public in and for the County of San Mateo, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared KENNETH C. BRUCE, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal in the County of San Mateo, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

H. E. HIGGINS
Notary Public in and for
(SEAL) the County of San Mateo,
State of California.

ENDORSED: Filed in the office of the County Clerk of San Mateo County, Calif., November 18, 1949.

W .H. AUGUSTUS,
County Clerk
By: NINA I. LOWDER
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Published: December 2, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1949.

Richard E. Doyle, Jr.
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Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS
No. 49534

In The Superior Court Of The State of California, In and For The County of San Mateo

KENNETH W. KORPI,
Plaintiff
vs.
MARY ELLEN KORPI,
Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo; and the complaint filed in said County of San Mateo in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California Send Greetings to:
MARY ELLEN KORPI, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, and answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this Summons, if served within said County, if served elsewhere within thirty days.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, this 1st day of September, A.D., 1949.

W. H. AUGUSTUS, Clerk.
By ROBERT DUFFY,
Deputy Clerk.

December 2, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1949; January 5, 12, 1950.

No. 6621
SUMMONS

In The Justice's Court of Third Township, County of San Mateo, State of California.

CHARLES ANDREWS,
Plaintiff
vs.
CARL F. SCHAURER and MARGIE M. SCHAURER,
Defendants.

The People of the State of California send Greetings to:
CARL F. SCHAURER and MARGIE M. SCHAURER,
Defendants:

The above named plaintiff having brought action against you in the Justice Court of Third Township, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, held at Courthouse, Redwood City, California, by filing complaint therein:

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED to appear and answer the said complaint in writing within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within the county in which this action is brought; or within thirty days, if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the court for any relief demanded in the complaint.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Justice's Court of Third Township, County of San Mateo, State of California, this 29th day of September, 1949.

EDWARD I. McAULIFFE,
Justice of the Peace of
said Township.
By CATHERINE FERRARO,
(SEAL) Court Clerk.

Published: Oct. 21, 28; Nov. 4, 11, 18, 25; Dec. 2, 8, 15, 22, 1949.

NO 383307-AB.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That: ON WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of January, 1950, at the hour of ten o'clock, a.m., of said day, in front of the entrance to the office of California Pacific Title Insurance Company, at No. 2424 Broadway, in the City of Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, CALIFORNIA PACIFIC TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the City of Menlo Park, County of San Mateo, State of California, to wit:

Lot 29, as designated on the Map entitled "HERMOSA TRACT SAN MATEO COUNTY CALIFORNIA", which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on February 10, 1925, in Book 11 of Maps, at page 75.

SAID SALE will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligations secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust dated September 7th, 1948, between ROBERT J. BROWN and LENORE A. BROWN, his wife, as Trustor, California Pacific Title Insurance Company, a corporation, as Trustee, and THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES, a corporation, as Beneficiary, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Book 1471 of Official Records of said County, at page 347.

DATED: November 30th, 1949.
CALIFORNIA PACIFIC TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY
As Trustee
By: AILEEN BETTE
(Seal) Its Assistant Secretary

Published: Dec. 8, 15, 22, 29, 1949.

ORDINANCE NO. 193
ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MENLO PARK AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 169 OF SAID CITY.

The City Council of the City of Menlo Park does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Ordinance No. 169 of the City of Menlo Park is hereby amended to exclude from Zone "R-2" and to include in Zone "C-1", Lot 47 in Block No. 1, "Stanford Park Map No. 2", and said Ordinance No. 169 is further amended to exclude from Zone "R-1-D" and to include in Zone "R-2", Lots numbered 45 and 46 in Block numbered 1, "Stanford Park Map No. 2".

SECTION 2. The building line map and the fire zone map of the City of Menlo Park is each hereby amended, as required, to conform with the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances of the City of Menlo Park in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall be published once in the Menlo Park Recorder, a newspaper printed, published and circulated within the City of Menlo Park and shall take effect thirty days from and after its passage and adoption.

INTRODUCED: November 22, 1949.

PASSED AND ADOPTED as an Ordinance of the City of Menlo Park at a regular meeting of the Council of said City on the 13th day of December, 1949, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen: Brown, Burgess, Church, Ford & Hayes.
NOES: Councilmen: None.
ABSENT: Councilmen: None.

APPROVED:
CHAS. P. BURGESS,
Mayor of the City
of Menlo Park.

ATTEST:
MARGARET A. BECKER,
(SEAL) City Clerk.

Published: December 22, 1949.





LOTS OF CAMERA ACTIVITY—Last week's meeting of the Camino Camera club in the Burgess park Little theater was an "action night" for members, most of whom brought along cameras to "shoot at will" as two models posed. This series of photos shows photographers photographing photographers who photographed models. At left, Malcolm McWhorter readies his camera in wings of the stage. Above, the stage is crowded with cameramen. And, among resultant prints were those of Rose Ann Sayler (right), and Lorraine Erickson (lower right), "Miss Peninsula of 1949." The two served as models.

—Menlo Camera Shop



Rec Commission Proposes Rules For Theater Use

The Menlo Park recreation commission will recommend to the city council that Stanford Village Film society showings in the Burgess park Litle Theater be allowed to continue provided all aspects of "commercialism" are removed.

The decision was reached Thursday evening after a lengthy discussion of what constitutes commercial competition as differentiated from a recreation activity dealing with an art medium.

The commission recommended the following as measures which the council could institute to insure non-profit use of the Little theater:

1. The film society will submit lists of scheduled films to the recreation commission and to Hal Honore, manager of the Park and Guild theaters, so that primarily commercial pictures may be eliminated.

2. The film society will use no display or commercial advertising to promote larger audiences.

3. No prices or names of films to be shown will be used on any advertisements by the society.

Honore, whose protest to the city council over alleged commercial use of the Litle theater brought about the inquiry into the nature of the society's showings, said that he would not use his influence to keep the society from using films of a primarily artistic nature.

Brant Sloan, newly elected president of the society, said before last week's meeting that attendance at the showings would be limited to members and their guests if the group was to be allowed to continue to use the city's facilities.

Medals Available For Navy Veterans

Navy medals for occupation and China service are now available to qualified veterans at the navy recruiting station, postoffice building, San Mateo.

Veterans entitled to the medals may obtain them by presenting their discharge papers or, in the case of officers, their orders to inactive duty, Chief Petty Officer Pete Foulger announced.

Other medals available to qualified veterans include the American defense, victory, American area, African-European area and Asiatic-Pacific area medals.

NEW ARRIVALS

Dec. 12, 1949

To Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bane, 896 Donohoe St., East Palo Alto, at 3:34 a.m., a son, 7 pounds and 8 ounces.

Dec. 16, 1949

To Mr. and Mrs. R. Clinton Fuller, 2895 Alpine Rd., Menlo Park, at 12:44 p.m., a son, 8 pounds and 13 ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pennington, 207-16 Stanford Village, at 1:46 p.m., a daughter, 8 pounds and 5 ounces.

County To Give Job Examinations

The San Mateo county civil service commission this week listed examinations for 24 classifications in which there are openings for qualified applicants.

The examinations and the dates before which applicants must file to take them include chief deputy agricultural inspector, Dec. 23; hospital attendant, Dec. 30; ambulance driver and attendant, Jan. 14; property appraiser, Jan. 14.

Clerk, grade 1, Jan. 21; tax accounting clerk, Jan. 21; adoption supervisor, Jan. 28; child welfare supervisor, Jan. 28; public health nurse, Feb. 4; supervising nurse, Canyon sanatorium, Feb. 4; assistant highway engineer, Feb. 11; physiotherapist, Feb. 11; head nurse, Feb. 25; fire station supervisor, Feb. 25.

Medical record librarian, Feb. 25; firefighter, March 4; public assistance worker, grade 2, March 11; medical social worker, March 11; superior court clerk, March 11.

Applications for examination and additional information on residence and other requirements may be obtained at the civil service commission offices, third floor, courthouse, Redwood City.

Encinal Eighth Grade Is Host at Party

The Encinal school eighth grade last week played host to pupils of the seventh grade at a Christmas dance at the school.

The auditorium was decorated with holly and balloons for the occasion. Mrs. Ina Porter, Principal, was patron.

Boy Scout Notes

Cub Pack 4 Holds Christmas Party; Awards Are Presented

Menlo Park Cub Pack 4 had its Christmas party at its December meeting at Central school last week. The flag ceremony was conducted by Mrs. Lois Goodrich's Den 3. Cubmaster Dr. Robert D. Rhodes presented the following awards:

Wolf: Robert Hyman, Douglas Curyea, Jerry Mortenson, Sandy Walker; Gold arrow, Douglas Curyea, David Morley, Robert Goodrich, Alfred Luchini, David Burnett; silver arrow, David Morley, Robert Goodrich, Alfred Luchini.

Bear: Roger Winovitch, Philip Gagen, John McMasters, Tommy Snedeker, Jimmy Olson; gold arrow, Roger Winovitch, Philip Gagen, John McMasters, Tommy Snedeker (2), Jimmy Olson; silver arrow, Philip Gagen (2), John McMasters (3), Tommy Snedeker (3), Jimmy Olson.

Lion: Billy Miller.

Service Star: Roger Winovitch.

Denner Stripes: David Morley, Don Sterling.

Asst. Denner Stripes: Robert Goodrich, Ray Rinaldi.

Jim Kjergard, a transferee from San Bruno Pack 76 to Den 2, was introduced to the Pack.

The attendance flag was won by Mrs. Widney's Den 2. Mrs. R. B. Curyea's Den 1 presented a gift of records to Mrs. Nathan Koblick who had served for more than a year as den mother for Den 1. All the Cubs presented Christmas gifts to their mothers. These gifts were the result of their own handiwork at their den meetings.

Mrs. Ethel Widney's Den 2 showed its elaborate Den Doodle made of wood, plaster of paris animals, and acorns. Denner Curtis Stiles explained it to the gathering.

Christmas carols were sung to the piano accompaniment of Robbie Rhodes. All the children were presented with Christmas candy bags through the courtesy of the Lions club.

Change Announced In Community Concert

Vivian Della Chiesa will replace Eva Gustavson in the Redwood City Community Concert Association's Feb. 1 concert, President Duncan Reynard announced.

Miss Gustavson, a Norwegian contralto, was to have begun her first American concert tour in January, but illness forced her to cancel her plans, Mr. Reynard said.

Miss Della Chiesa consented to fill the Redwood City engagement at the Sequoia high school auditorium. Miss Della Chiesa's name is familiar to radio and concert hall listeners. She twice was named on the "ten best dressed women" list, and American sculptors and painters have named her as one of the "ten most glamorous women in the world."



INJURED IN FALL

R. D. Davis, father of Stanford Police Chief Gordon Davis, Sunday afternoon was taken to Palo Alto hospital for treatment of minor injuries following a fall from his bicycle on Santa Cruz avenue.



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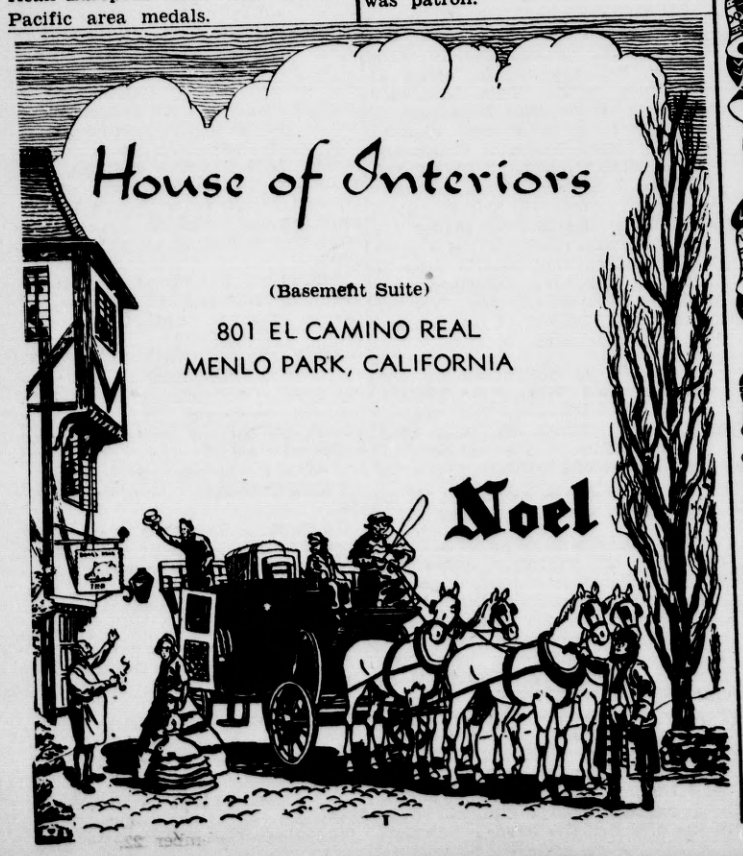
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SHOPPING WITH SHIRLEY

We all have last minute shopping to do—no matter how far ahead we plan for Christmas. Perhaps third cousin Jim turns up three days before Christmas. Perhaps you even forgot a present for your own favorite hard-working Santa.

Perhaps you were somewhat carried away with the joy of the holidays and invited all the family to your house for dinner. That's easy: Just step over to the **Menlo Square Market** and you'll find many delicacies that will put your dinner on top. You might try some of those delicious and beautiful glazed fruits, for instance, for the final festive touch.

There's always a large assortment—a 75-foot display—of crisp fresh fruits and vegetables in season at Menlo Square. It also might be smart to stock up on their frozen foods to have in your freezing unit for unexpected—and expected—guests.

When it gets right down to the gourmet kind of cooking, those copper-clad Revere pots and pans in **Frane's** are really tops. They're wonderful for cooking to perfection—and decorative, too.

Did you forget that item for Dad's stocking? You'll find many good things to give at **Guy Alterton's** . . . there are tie clasps, for instance. And for Sis there are bracelets. And there are clocks (practical and beautiful) and lovely silver—dishes, ashtrays, etc., always a most appreciated gift.

Pearl's Shop has some wonderful buys in cashmere sweaters. They come in beautiful soft colors and are priced very reasonably.

There is nylon—and nylon. Many of us make the mistake of thinking that all nylon garments are much alike. For the true picture, see some of the beautiful things at **Pearl's Shop.** Her slips, especially, are a terrific buy. She talked them away from a manufacturer just before a price boost, and passes the saving on to you.

Browning's Lts. has a good selection of children's books. For instance, "The Magic Firecracker", "Eddie and the Firecracker," and "Cadmus Henry" are among the standout juveniles.

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Leading value advertisers to be found in this week's Buy Word include:

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New Store Building Plans Told

Menlo Park's business growth will maintain its pace with the turn of the year, it was disclosed yesterday when Ed Derry announced plans for a commercial structure on Oak Grove avenue immediately west of the postoffice.

He said construction is expected to begin late in January. The building is planned for two retail stores each having 25 feet frontage. The structure will be 80 feet deep. Derry estimated cost at $25,000.

Tenants have not yet been signed up, he added.

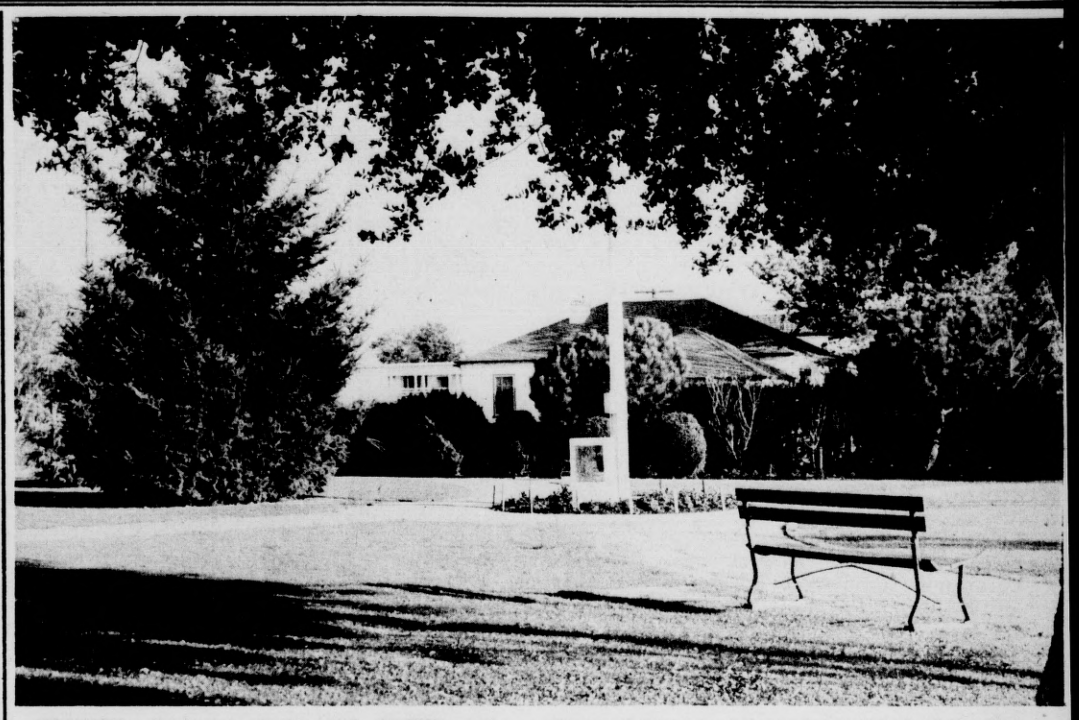
Two Realtors Move To New Offices

Real estate men Will L. Merryman and George W. Naylor, who formerly shared the office at 535 Santa Cruz avenue, have moved to new locations, Merryman to 1276 El Camino Real and Naylor to 897 Santa Cruz avenue.

Therapy Clinic To Open Here

Complete physio-therapy service will be available starting Jan. 3 at 1283 El Camino Real, in a new establishment to be operated by Mr. and Mrs. H. Robert Beal.

Beal and his wife, Oneta, are both registered nurses.



RESTFUL—Just one of the park facilities provided for residents of the Menlo Park area is this quiet corner of Fremont Park at the corner of Santa Cruz avenue and University drive. The plaque (center) is a memorial to Menlo Park men who died in the first World War.

—Menlo Camera Shop.

AT YOUR SERVICE

There's Plenty of Room for Play

The Menlo Park area is the home of more than 40,000 persons. Just as every family devotes time, space and money to the development of recreation space and gardens, the area spends a share of its income and has dedicated a portion of its space to sports fields, flower beds, lawns and other areas devoted to relaxation.

San Mateo county and the City of Menlo Park both contribute to the area's recreation facilities. At 22-acre Flood park near Belle Haven there are facilities for swimming, tennis, volleyball, picnicking, and just plain loafing. In Ravenswood, the county has provided the recreation building at 550 Bell street which is operated under the supervision of the Ravenswood recreation association.

In Menlo Park itself, largest park is Burgess park, 25 acres, situated next to the civic center off Ravenswood avenue. In Burgess park, which was purchased last year from the federal government, are the city's gymnasium, swimming pool and Little theater.

There are more than 36 acres of parks within easy reach of all parts

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU ALL



FROM THE STAFF OF YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER

Menlo Park RECORDER *and Gazette*

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WOMAN'S WORLD

Plan Old-Fashioned Christmas By Making Decorations at Home

By Ertta Haley

ONE OF THE BIGGEST and nicest projects during the holidays is the decoration that goes into the home. It's as much fun as anticipating Santa's visit, as warm and gratifying as an unexpected compliment and as satisfying as giving!

Christmas house decorations need not be either fancy or expensive. With imagination, every member of the family can join in the project and have a wonderful time. Don't miss this opportunity for getting the family together, interested in making the home reflect the holiday spirit.

If you make a ceremony of decorating, you will create a lovely tradition that lingers in the youngsters' as well as oldsters' memories a long time. It encourages working together and this good spreads to other things done throughout many months.

Don't confine the decoration to the tree alone. Spread it to making arrangements of the greeting cards which would otherwise gather dust on an unlovely pile cluttering the desk. Do something with those odd branches cut off the tree by using them as a basis for the table centerpiece.

Add an imaginative touch to the wreath you hang on the door like one family which puts a bit of dry bread and suet for the birds on it. Don't keep the goodies hidden until someone comes to call. Cookies, candies, apples and nuts can be placed in colorful paper cornucopias or red stockings and hung on the Christmas tree or fireplace.

Though you purchase such things as lollipops, candy canes and ornaments, you can frequently im-



Decorate with Christmas cards . . .

prove them with a little glitter, a green or crimson bow and an imaginative arrangement of your own. Then, everyone will want to know where in the world you were able to get it. Can you imagine your pride when you tell them how you made it?

You can keep small fry out of trouble if you set them to work stringing decorative chains or cranberries and popcorn for the tree. Older children can be put to work making popcorn balls. To the popped corn is added a syrup made of simmering ½ cup molasses, ½ cup corn syrup and ½ tablespoon



evergreens, ornaments and red berries.

of vinegar cooked until it forms a hard ball in cold water. Have them shape a small ball at first to which is attached a small loop of ribbon from which to hang the ball. Additional popped corn and syrup mixture is molded around the ball. These hang gaily from the tree.

Candy canes can be tied with gay bows to hang from the tree. If the branches are fragile, use the small canes so they'll stay on readily.

Cornucopias filled with nuts and candies are another delight to make. Use 9 inch squares of bright colored or metallic paper and finish with cellophane tape. They may also be lined together on hall table to be tucked into small hands which deliver presents!

Fancy shaped cookies in the form of stars, Santa Claus or a snow man into which a loop has been pressed before they are baked will decorate a good part of the Christmas tree. You won't have much in the way of decor to remove from the tree when the time comes for taking it down!

Let Everyone Enjoy Your Christmas Cards

For those who are fortunate to have a mantel, there's no better place for Christmas cards. Here they can be displayed to an advantage, decorative as well as interesting.

If you like the cards on a board to make a kind of large picture, use an artist's board covered with dark blue, green, red, gold or silver paper. The cards are tacked on this board when they arrive.

You might also like to cut out large stars and pin these on the wall. Two stars on either side of the mirror on the mantel are effective. Pin or tack the cards on the stars.

A glass topped coffee table will be interesting if you lay a sheet of plastic, for table protection, against the wood. Arrange the cards on the plastic, then cover with the glass.

Floor screens are another good place for the greeting cards as they are easy to tack or paste on it. The screen, may, of course, be covered with decorative paper that protects it as well as adds color to the room.

Card displays on the walls of the front hall offer a gay greeting as you enter the house. Place them on covered board or cardboard and hang as pictures.

If space is limited the cards may be pinned to greenery which you use in the form of wreaths or swags on windows. Add some bright colored bows to the greenery to attach it to the cornice of the window.

You might also set the youngsters to pasting the cards in large but inexpensive albums as they arrive.

Growth of the park system and the building-up of existing facilities will continue as more people become acquainted with those already in use.

Be Smart!



In a season notable for decoration at the neckline, watch new scarfs, very different looking from those of the past. One of the new favorites is knitted Shetland wool, soft and frothy as seafoam in texture, gorgeous as to color. Another is cravat-type scarfs of flat fur, leopard being a favorite for youthful wearers, often repeated in fur toque or a big muff. Very new indeed is a revival of the twenties, suit and coats with scarf collars, which may be tied in a soft bow or crossed underneath your pretty chin with ends worn loose in the back.

SHOPPING . . .

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Little boys just never have enough trucks, and at **Preuss Highway Pharmacy** you'll find the answer—a Christmas stocking filled to the top with all kinds of plastic trucks, complete for $1.19. And for the sweet tooth in your family, Preuss has the largest candy cane in captivity . . . Perfect for an unusual door decoration or over your fireplace—or you might even eat it!

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Don't forget to stop in at the **Menlo Camera Shop** and stock up on plenty of film to record Christmas Day. There's no better time to catch the family all together.

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— By Harold Arnett

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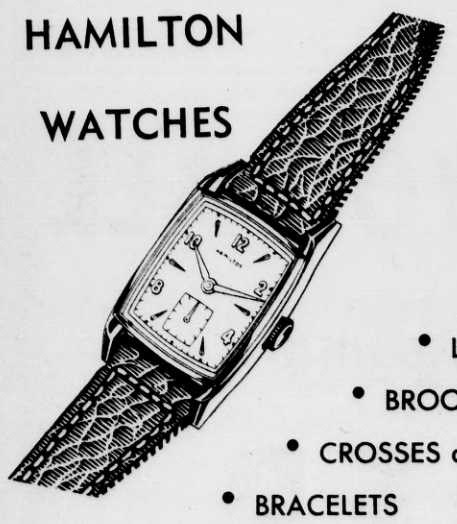
Other parks include the eight-acre Nealon playground on Middle avenue and one-acre Fremont park, at Santa Cruz avenue and University drive. The department also maintains about two acres of gardens in the civic center.

The park department has been granted $13,558—eight per cent of the city's total budget—for the 1949-50 fiscal year; but that doesn't tell the whole story.

Efficiency is increased by complete cooperation with the street department. Thus, park department workers aid in the yearly weed abatement campaigns and, next spring, will help with the proposed planting of trees along the city's streets.

The street department reciprocates by loaning men and equipment for development and maintenance of the parks. The need for duplication of effort and equipment has been eliminated.

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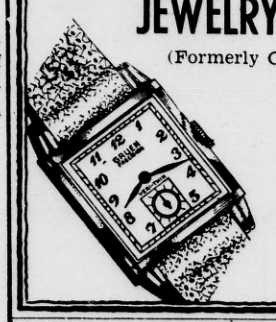


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Grapejuice 43¢

DOLE'S — 46-oz. CAN
PINEAPPLE JUICE 39c

SNOWCROP—6-oz. CANS — FROZEN
Orange Juice 3 cans 75¢

CLAPPS — 3 FREE With In-Store Coupon
BABY FOOD ..... 3 cans 23c

BORDEN CHATEAU—In Plastic Container
CHEESE 2 POUNDS $1.09

TREND 1 PACKAGE .....19c, 1 PACKAGE .....1c — both 20c

QUART
MAZOLA 55¢

OUR VALUE
TOILET TISSUE ..... roll 4c

CALO — 6 CANS
Dog Food 63¢

C & H — BROWN - POWDERED - DESSERT 1-lb. pkgs.
SUGAR ..... 3 for 29c

GOLDEN STATE — FIRST QUALITY
BUTTER lb. 64¢

Specials for your Christmas Dinner

DIAMOND A — No. 2½ CANS
PUMPKIN ..... 3 for 25c

OCEAN SPRAY or DROMEDARY — 2 CANS
CRANBERRY SAUCE 27c

S & W — 1-Lb. Glass
GLAZE FRUIT MIX 41c

CROSSE & BLACKWELL PLUM — FIG — DATE
PUDDING ..... 1-lb. can 43c

CROSSE & BLACKWELL
HARD SAUCE ..... 6-oz. jar 42c

MEATS for your Christmas Feast

SHOULDER CUT
BEEF POT ROAST ..... lb. 49c

FANCY
COLORED FRYERS ..... lb. 49c

END CUTS
PORK LOIN ROAST ..... lb. 45c

RATH OR SWIFT'S PREMIUM
PICNIC HAMS ..... lb. 39c

CHECK WITH US FOR FINEST QUALITY FRESH OR OVEN-READY EVISCERATED
TURKEYS
CUDAHY — SWANSON — SWIFT

DELICATESSEN

SWIFT'S PREMIUM—1st Quality — Xmas Wrapped
BACON ..... lb. pkg. 59c

FANCY WISCONSIN
BLUE CHEESE 1-lb. 69c

CUDAHY, HORMEL, etc. — 1-lb. ROLL
PORK SAUSAGE 39c

BISHOP'S
XMAS CANDY ..... cello bag 23c

12 to Pkg.
CANDY CANES ..... pkg. 19c

CROSSE & BLACKWELL — 1-lb. 3-oz. Jar
MINCE MEAT 29c

S & W — MARASHINO
CHERRIES ..... 8-o.z jar 24c

OUR COUNTERS ARE LOADED WITH FARM-FRESH
--- PRODUCE ---
TO ASSURE THE SUCCESS OF YOUR HOLIDAY FEAST

CRISP TENDER STALKS
CELERY ..... lb. 6c

CRISPY, WELL BLEACHED — CELLO BAG
CELERY HEARTS 19c

CRISP & FRESH — GREEN
ONIONS - RADISHES ..... bu. 4c

YAMS OR
SWEET POTATOES .... 2 lbs. 19c

SMALL WHITE
BOILING ONIONS .... 2 lbs. 19c

FANCY FRESH PACK
MIXED NUTS ..... lb. 43c

JUMBO SIZE — SWEET EATING
ORANGES ..... 5 lbs. 35c

LARGE & PLUMP
PERSIMMONS ..... ea. 5c

LARGE FANCY ARIZONA
GRAPEFRUIT ..... ea. 5c

FANCY RED DELICIOUS
APPLES ..... 2 lbs. 19c

MENLO SQUARE MARKET

RAVENSWOOD AND ALMA STREETS — MENLO PARK — (JUST SOUTHEAST OF THE S. P. STATION)



Make Your Holiday Menu A Gay, but Simple One With Yuletide Coloring

CHRISTMAS is in the air and excitement reigns supreme. There's a tradition of hospitality that's a part of the whole spirit and idea of Christmas and no small part of this begins and emerges from the warmly fragrant kitchen. The climax is reached with a festive board on which you've placed delicious foods in holiday colors.



Red and green are the colors which you want to push forward, and this comes easily if the menu includes ham, cranberries and avocado in the salad, and a cake frosted in white and green.

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How to Bake Ham

REMOVE WRAPPINGS from ham, but do not remove rind. Rewrap loosely in inside glassine wrapping paper or heavy waxed paper. Place flat side up on rack in any shallow uncovered baking pan. (Place butt or shank end of ham cut side down on rack.) Bake in 325° oven for length of time as follows:

Weight of ham	
10 to 12 pounds	
14 to 16 pounds	
Over 16 pounds	
Half Ham	
If ham is room temperature	
18 min. per lb.	
16 min. per lb.	
14-15 min. per lb.	
20-25 min. per lb.	

If ham is chilled

20-22 min. per lb.
18-20 min. per lb.
16-18 min. per lb.
24-27 min. per lb.

Cooked hams should only be reheated 10 minutes per pound.

If meat thermometer is used, remove ham when the internal temperature reaches 150 to 155°. In inserting the thermometer, be sure the bulb of the thermometer reaches the center of the thickest part of the meat away from the bone.

Half an hour to 45 minutes before done, remove paper and rind, score fat, stud with cloves if desired, and cover with a glaze. Finish baking at the same low temperature (325°) until well glazed. Use any of the following glazes:

Glazes for Ham

Orange Glaze: Mix 1 cup brown sugar, juice and grated rind of one orange and spread over fat surface. Finish baking. Garnish with orange slices.

Jelly Glaze: Mix 1 cup bright red jelly with about ¼ cup hot water and spread over fat surface of ham. This forms a lovely red glaze. Stud with cloves or decorate with halves of candied cherries.



CHRISTMAS DINNER
Tomato Soup Francaise
Celery Croutons
Carrot Sticks
*Baked Ham
*Mashed Potato Puff
Buttered Lima Bean
*Cranberry-Avocado Salad
*Cinnamon Twists
Nut Cake with Boiled Frosting
Beverage
*Recipe Given

***Mashed Potato Puff**
(Serves 6)

- ⅓ cup hot milk
- 2 tablespoons butter
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ⅛ teaspoon pepper
- 3 cups hot mashed potatoes
- 2 egg whites, beaten

Add milk, butter, and seasonings to mashed potatoes and beat until smooth. Fold in egg whites and put into a greased baking dish. Bake at 400° for 45 minutes.

***Cranberry-Avocado Salad**
(Serves 6-8)

- 2 cups cranberries
- 1 cup water
- 1½ cups sugar
- 1 tablespoon gelatin
- ¼ cup cold water
- ½ cup diced celery
- ½ cup coarsely chopped walnuts
- 1 avocado

Cook the cranberries in the cup of water in a saucepan for 15 minutes. Just before removing from heat, add the sugar, also gelatin which has been softened in the cold water. When cool, fold in celery and walnuts. Pour into individual molds. Chill until firm. Arrange lettuce on individual salad plates. Arrange three or four thin slices of avocado on this, then unmold the jelly in the center of it. Serve with mayonnaise.

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LET THE FRAGRANCE of cinnamon in these rolls give that homey touch to the Christmas dinner. The dough requires no kneading and the rolls are simplicity themselves to prepare.

***Cinnamon Twists**
(Makes 30 rolls)

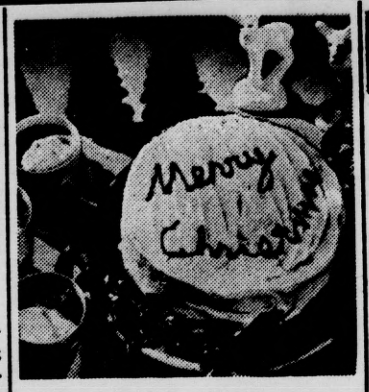
- 1 cup milk, scalded
- ⅓ cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ⅓ cup shortening
- ¼ cup lukewarm water
- 2 packages yeast, compressed or dry granular
- 3 eggs, beaten
- 5½ cups sifted all-purpose flour

Add sugar, salt and shortening to scalded milk and stir. Cool to lukewarm and add water. Sprinkle or crumble in yeast and let stand until dissolved. (If dry yeast is used, the time required is from 5 to 10 minutes). Add and stir in eggs, then flour. Place dough in greased bowl and brush top lightly with melted shortening. Cover and chill or store in refrigerator for at least 2 hours.

When doubled in bulk, punch down and turn on lightly floured board; divide in half. Roll out each half into an oblong 15x15x⅛ inches. Brush lightly with butter, then sprinkle with a mixture of 1½ cups sugar and 4 teaspoons cinnamon. Sprinkle center third of each oblong with 4 tablespoons of the cinnamon-sugar mixture. Fold one-third of dough over center third. Sprinkle with another 4 tablespoons of the sugar cinnamon mixture. Fold remaining third of dough over the two layers. Cut with a sharp knife crosswise into strips 1-inch wide. Take hold of each end of strip and twist in opposite directions. Seal ends firmly. Place on a greased baking sheet 1½ inches apart. Sprinkle tops of twists with remaining sugar-cinnamon mixture.

Cover with a clean towel. Let rise in a warm place free from drafts until doubled in bulk. Bake in a hot (425°) oven about 20 minutes.

California produces eight per cent of the national apple crop.



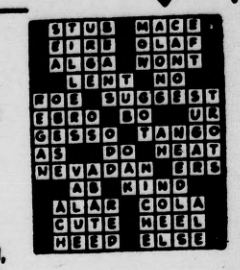
Your cake for Christmas can convey the holiday greeting simply if you write it in gay green tinted frosting with a pastry tube as shown here. Garnish the base of the cake with glossy leaves and holly berries.



Beautifully glazed ham is beautiful to behold and pure joy to eat at the Christmas feast when baked properly. Use the time chart given in the column for regular ham or ready-cooked ham which needs only heating through.

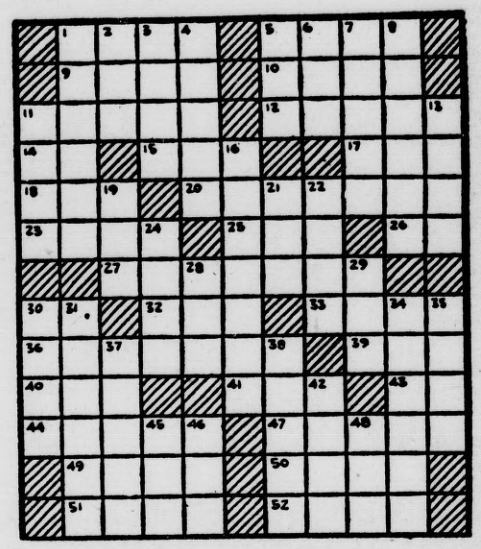
CROSSWORD PUZZLE

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER



ACROSS
1. A pen
5. Movable part of a table top
9. A circle of light
10. Odd (Scot.)
11. Capital (Fr.)
12. Corner
14. Indefinite article
15. Over (poet.)
17. The eye: in symbolism
18. Frozen water
20. Evening parties
23. Close by
25. Metallic rock
26. Music note
27. Fraudulent schemes (slang)
30. Close to
32. Girl's nickname
33. True
36. Pennies
39. Present time
40. High, craggy hill
41. Sweet potato
43. Exist
44. Cut
47. An ungulate (C. Am.)
49. Kind of cheese
50. Metal
51. Lairs
52. Snares

DOWN
1. Opportunity
2. Rowing implement
3. Potpourri
4. Attitudinizes
5. Larva of eye-threadworm
6. Sea eagle
7. Dispute
8. Waver
11. Anguish
13. Relieve
16. Breeding place of colony of rooks
19. Organ of hearing
21. Anger
22. Soaks flax
24. Grate
28. Hint
29. Source of light
30. Divisions of plays
31. Decorated, as leather
34. Red-breasted birds
35. Pitcher
37. Conceit
38. Glossy-surfaced silk fabric
42. Female horse
45. Receptacle
46. Type measures
48. Kettle



USE THIS SPACE FOR YOUR SHOPPING LIST

BUYS FROM THE BUY WORD:

DONDER SAID TO BLITZEN...

"LISTEN, DEER"

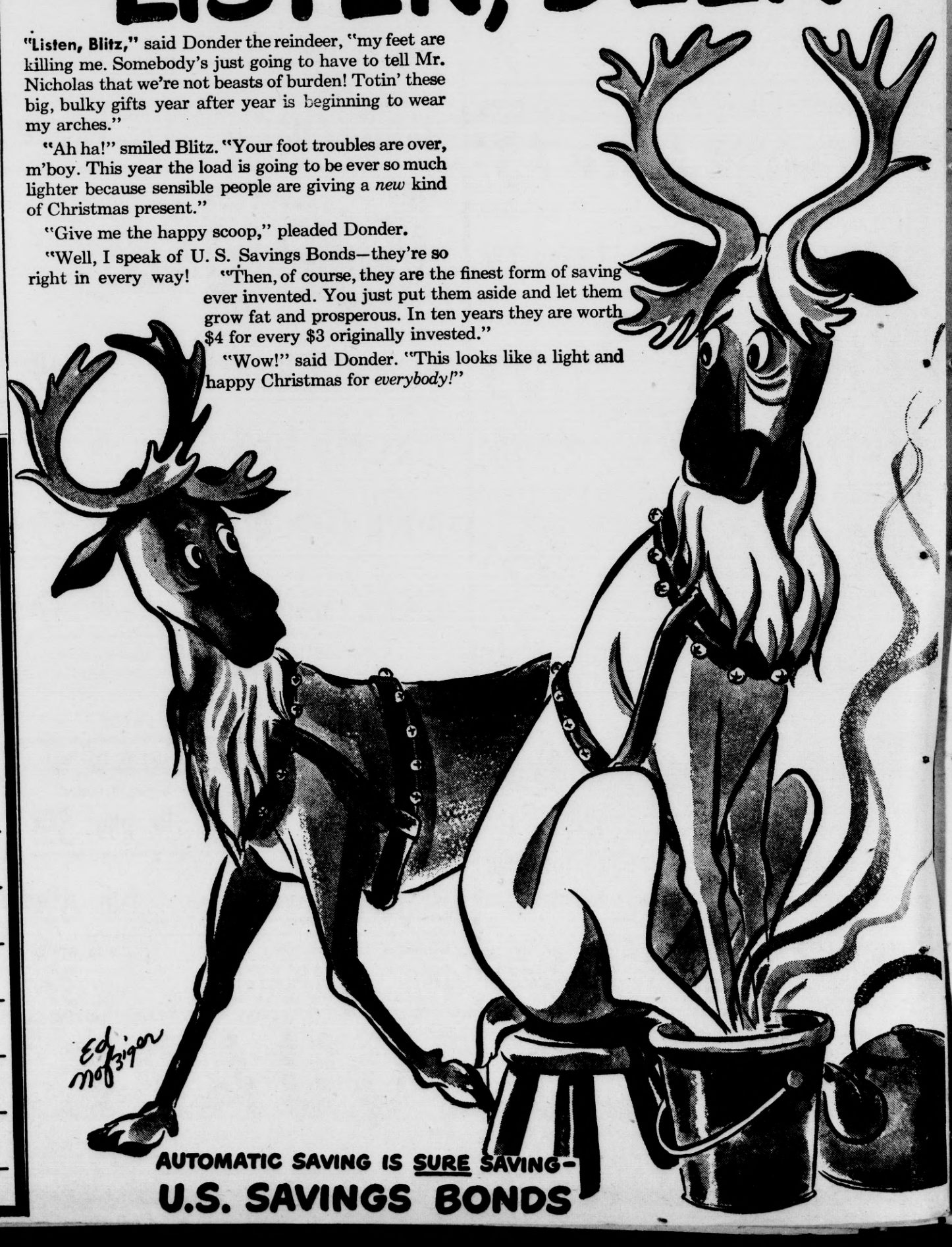
"Listen, Blitz," said Donder the reindeer, "my feet are killing me. Somebody's just going to have to tell Mr. Nicholas that we're not beasts of burden! Totin' these big, bulky gifts year after year is beginning to wear my arches."

"Ah ha!" smiled Blitz. "Your foot troubles are over, m'boy. This year the load is going to be ever so much lighter because sensible people are giving a *new* kind of Christmas present."

"Give me the happy scoop," pleaded Donder.

"Well, I speak of U. S. Savings Bonds—they're so right in every way! "Then, of course, they are the finest form of saving ever invented. You just put them aside and let them grow fat and prosperous. In ten years they are worth $4 for every $3 originally invested."

"Wow!" said Donder. "This looks like a light and happy Christmas for *everybody!*"



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